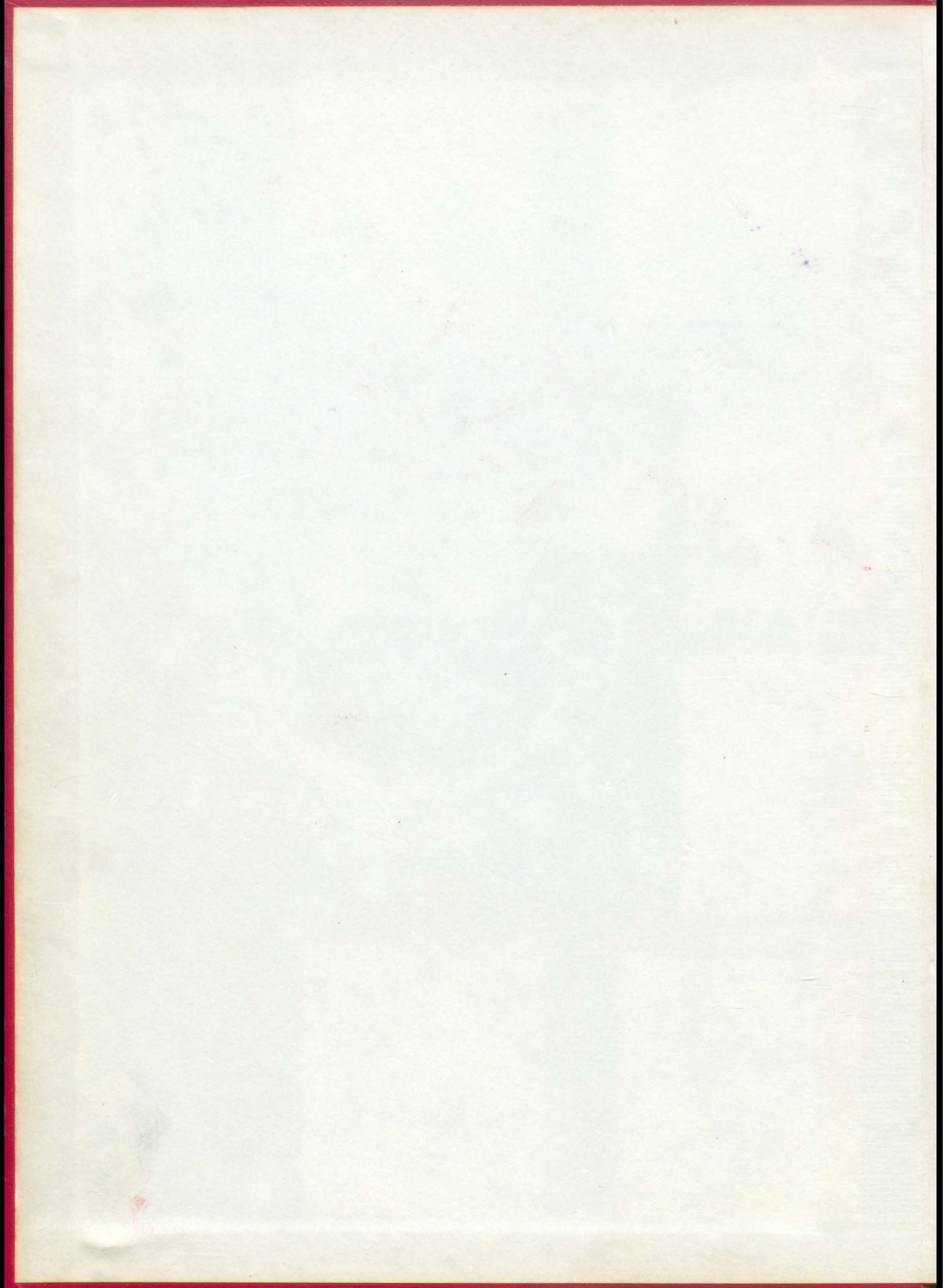
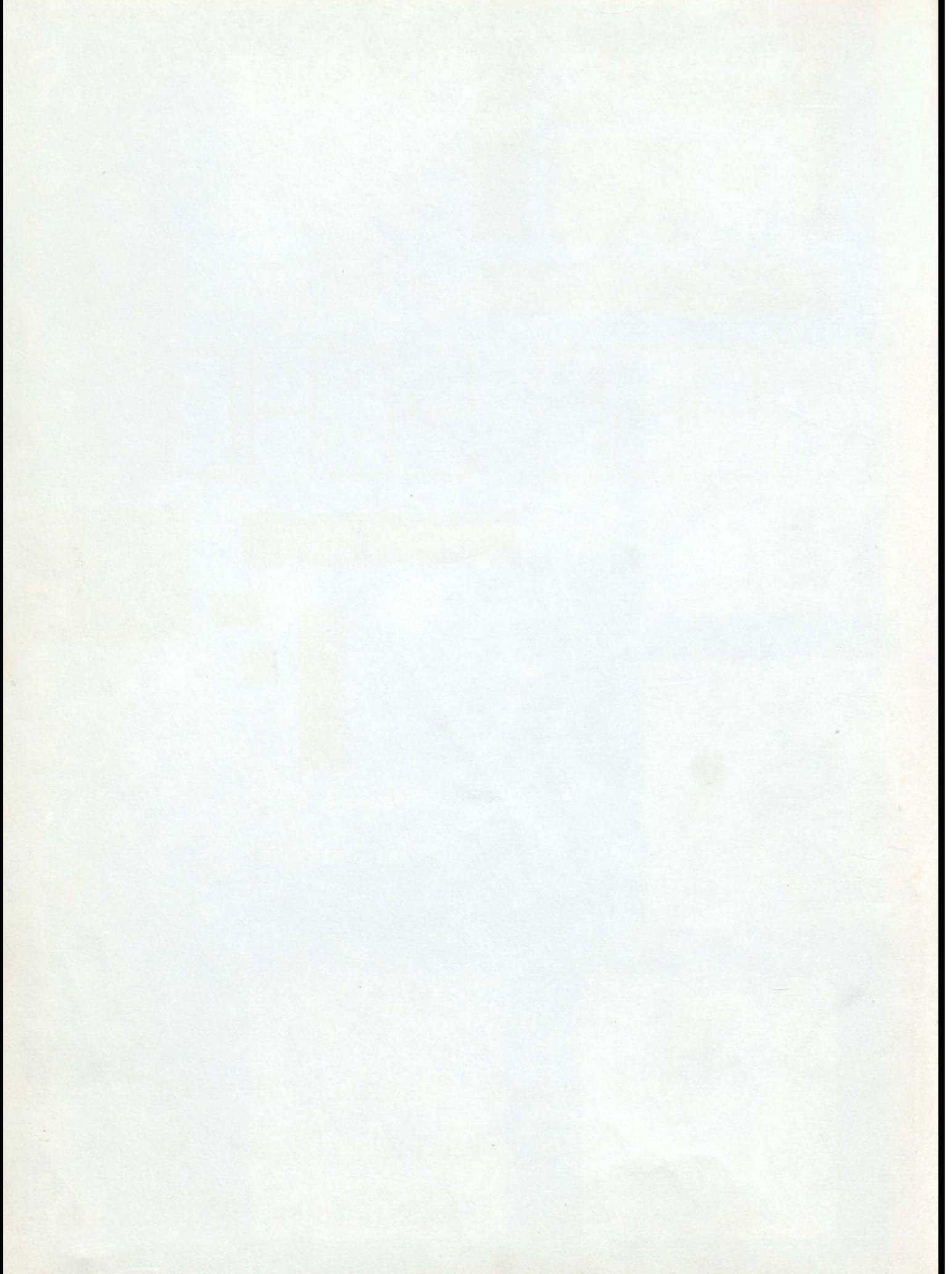
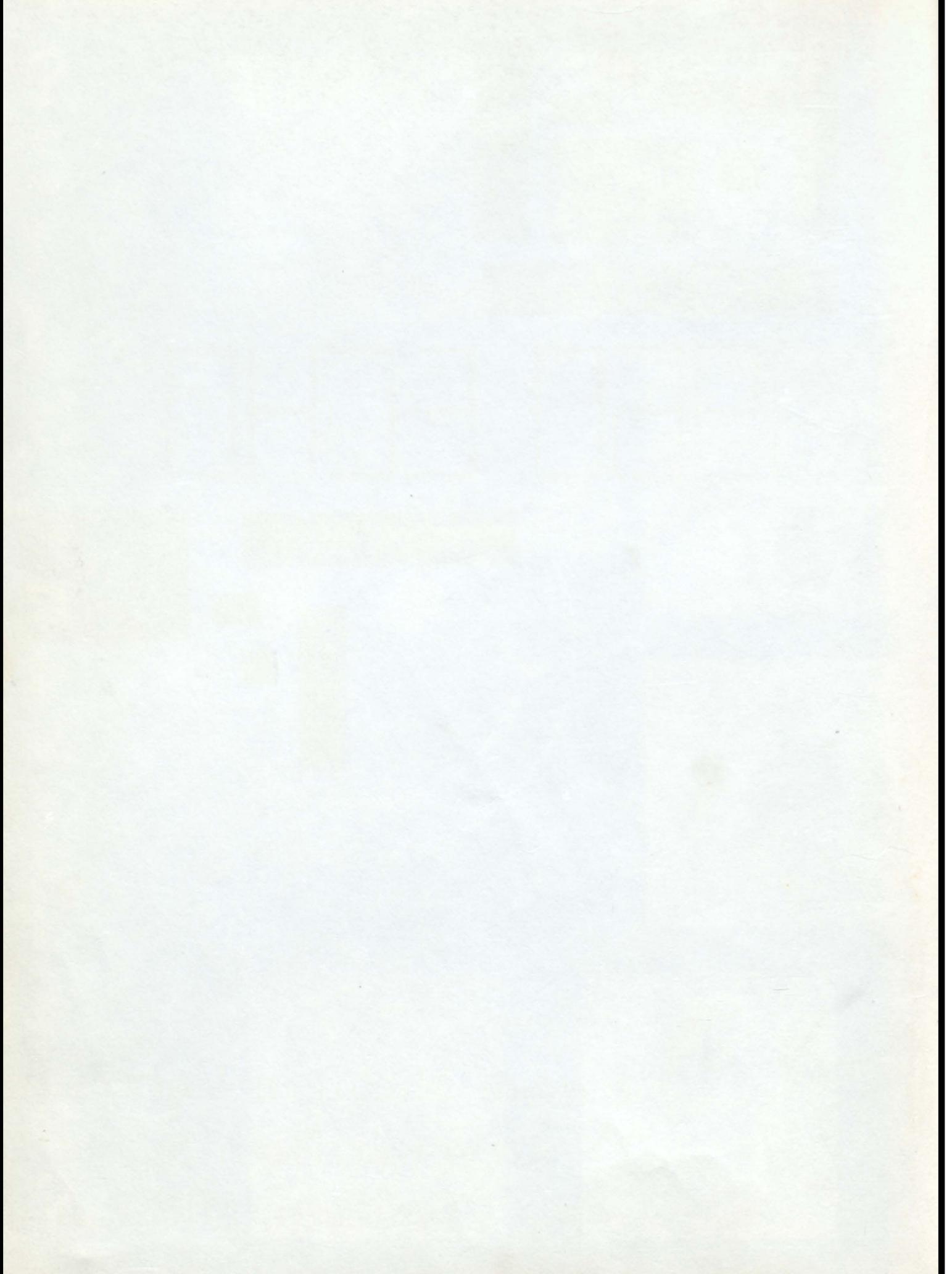


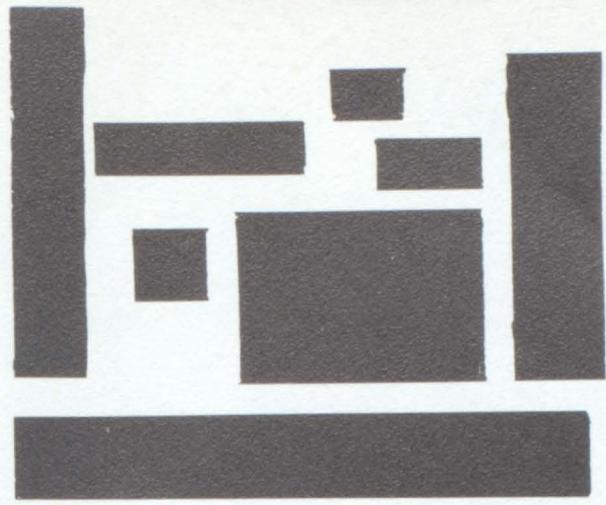
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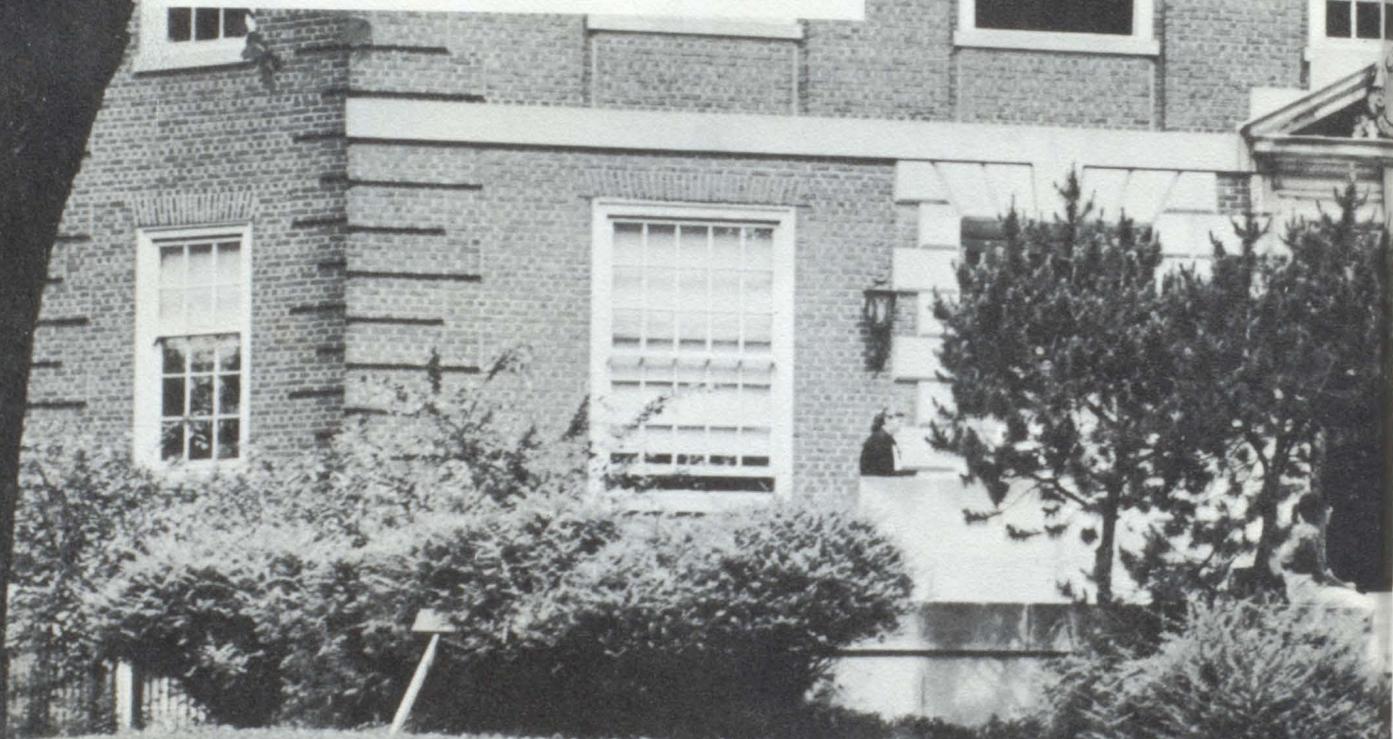
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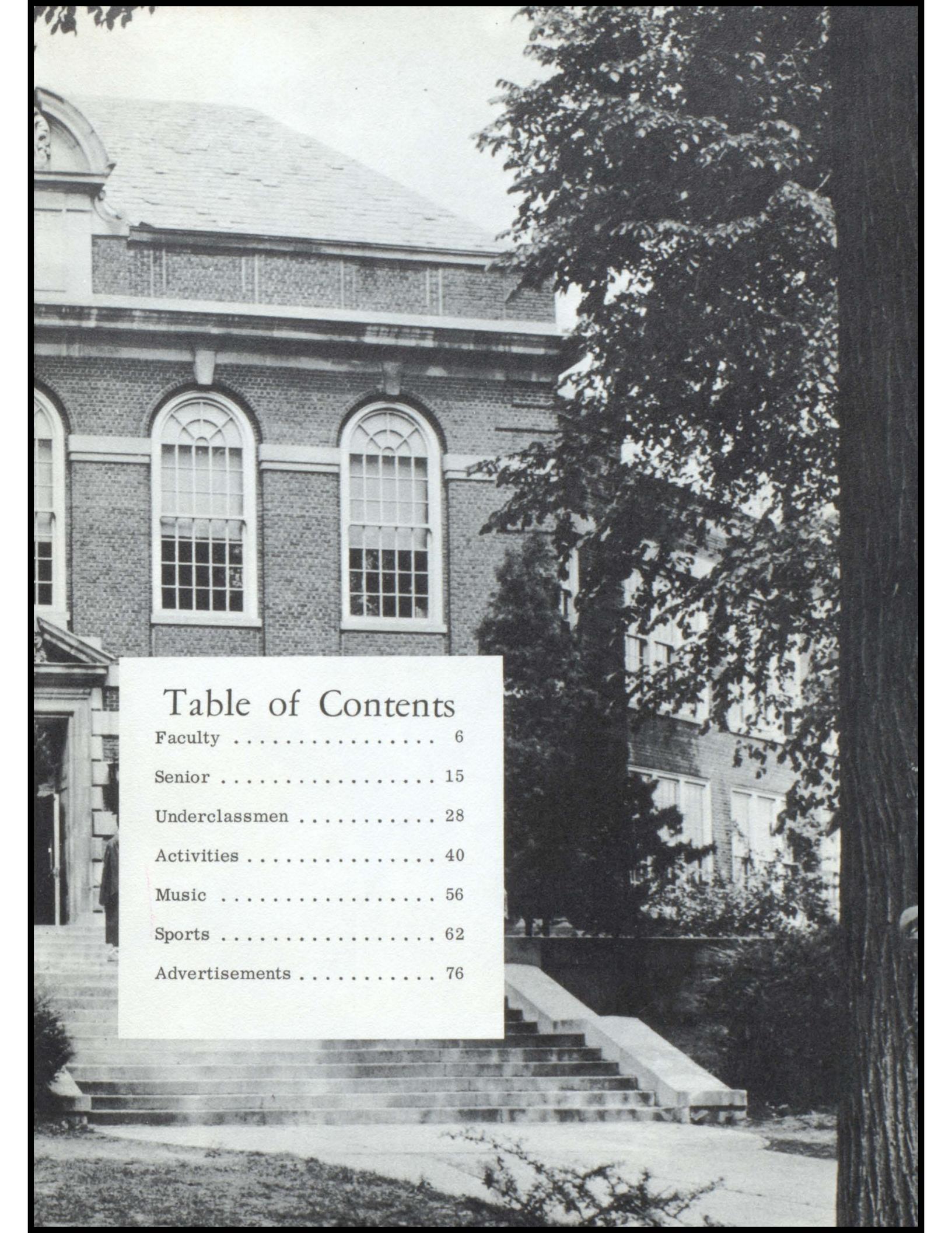


Eastern Michigan University  
Roosevelt High School  
Ypsilanti, Michigan

## School Is Many Things

SCHOOL IS GAINING KNOWLEDGE - going to classes, working out laboratory experiments, reading books and magazines, tuning in hour by hour on the wide world of thought. SCHOOL IS FUN - decorating for a Crystal Ball, frying hot dogs at a picnic, selling cokes at dime dances, planning a senior trip, working on the paper or the year book, leading cheers. SCHOOL IS SERVICE - practicing for the game, marching in the band, rehearsing for a play, a concert, an operetta. SCHOOL IS BELONGING - F.T.A., G.A.A., F.H.A., Girl Scouts, Varsity Club, Sinkopators, SCHOOL IS MAKING FRIENDS - the teachers, the principal, the coach, the classmates, the exchange students, the student teachers. School is learning about people and learning to work with people. SCHOOL IS MANY THINGS - not just books, not just classes, not just physics experiments, not just examinations, but LIFE.

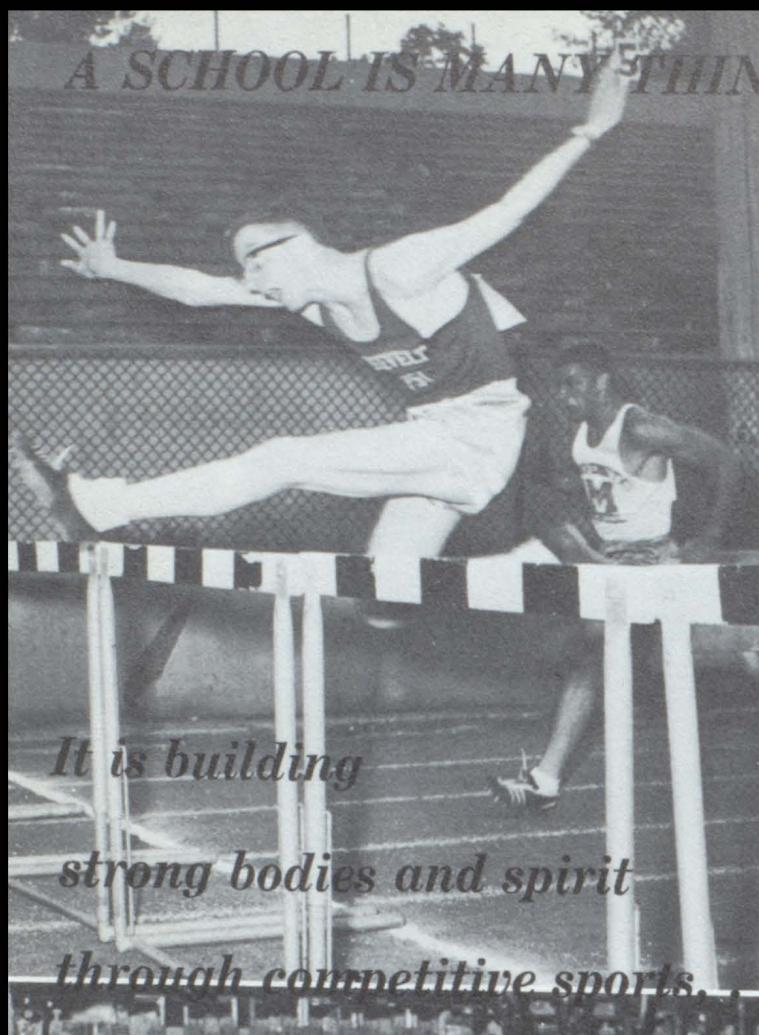




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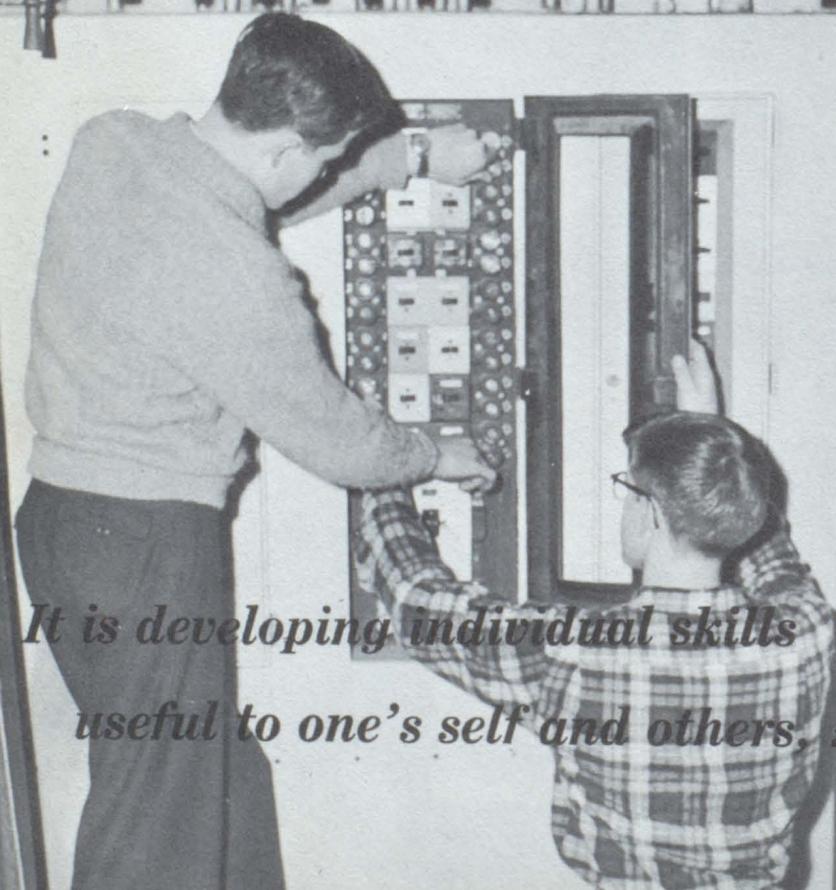
# A SCHOOL IS MANY THINGS



*It is building  
strong bodies and spirit  
through competitive sports.*



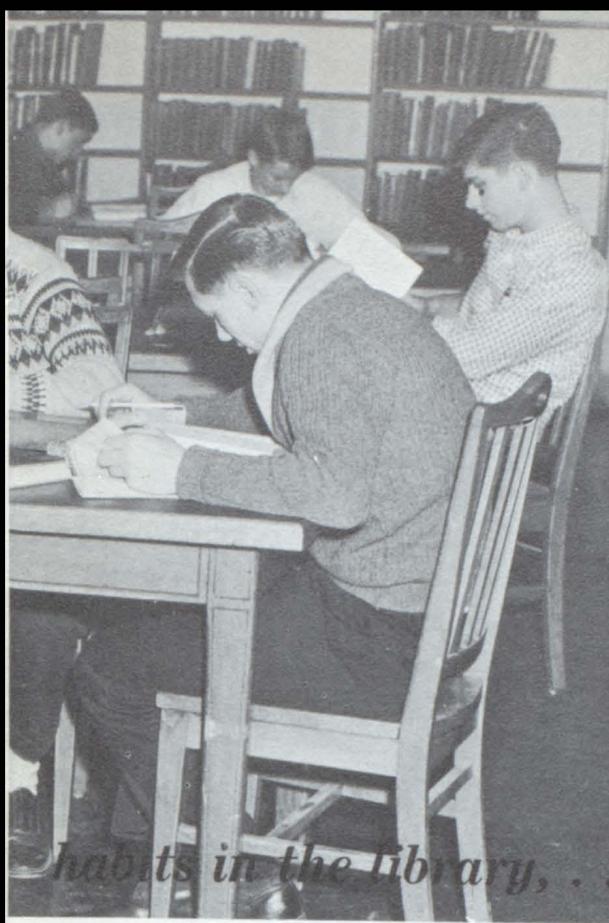
*gaining knowledge  
and building good study*



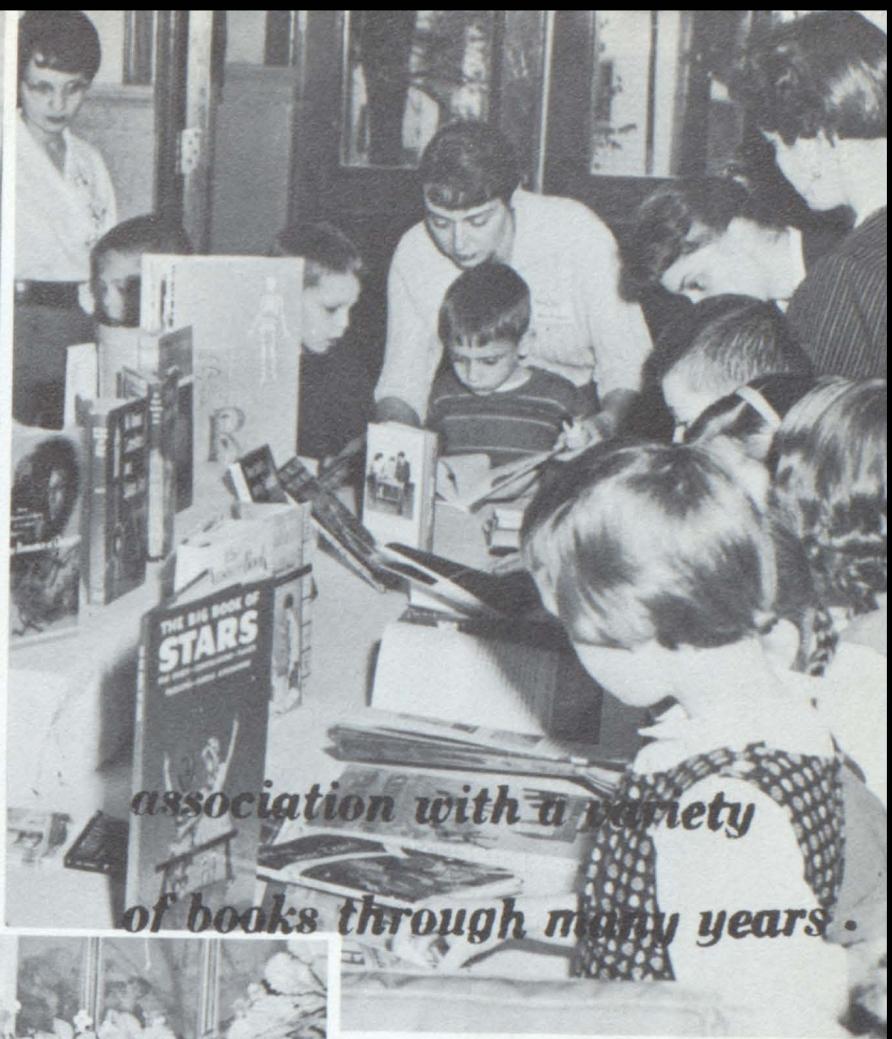
*It is developing individual skills  
useful to one's self and others, . . .*



*... guidance from those  
who are responsible*



*habits in the library, . . .*



*association with a variety  
of books through many years . . .*

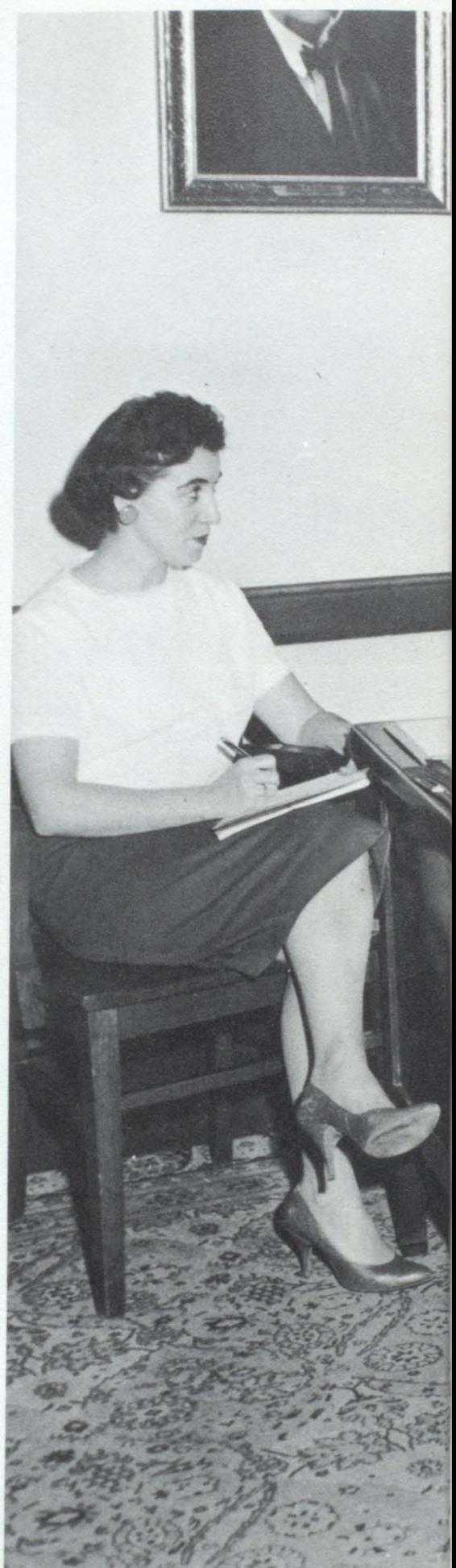


*for training students . . .*

*gaining experience  
by working with others  
to give a fine performance*



# Faculty







Mr. Menzi, our thoughtful principal, is indeed one who makes school many happy things. Because of his friendly smile, consideration for others, and kind and gentle ways, Mr. Menzi is always looked to by all students for advice and understanding. He has said many times "Give to the world the best you have," and Mr. Menzi certainly has given the world many wonderful things.

Mr. Leonard Menzi signs high school diplomas for the graduating seniors.



Here is Mrs. Barbara Badger, the secretary, doing one of an extraordinarily long list of jobs.

## Able administration leads Roosevelt

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Mrs. Florence Crouch, attendance officer and counselor, helps students make plans for the future, concerning college or job. It is her duty to give students advice on personal problems and to confer with parents. Mrs. Crouch also sponsors Roosevelt's Girls' Athletic Association.

Mrs. Florence Crouch shows Carolyn Ruwitch one of the many books on colleges and careers, which are available to our students.



## Math

Our junior and senior high students have an excellent program in mathematics, ranging from the required seventh and eighth grade math to solid geometry and trigonometry available at Eastern Michigan University for Roosevelt seniors. Roosevelt's Mathematics Department, under the direction of Miss Margaret Gotts, includes Mr. James Northey and Mr. Francis Welper.

Miss Margaret Gotts, Mr. Francis Welper, and Mr. James Northey show students mathematical principles



## Students keep pace with modern world

through science and math

### MR. GOLCZYNSKI

Biology and general science courses are directed by Mr. Louis Golczynski. To heighten pupils' interest in the "birds and the bees" Mr. Golczynski took his biology classes to the Museum of Natural History in Ann Arbor. He also sponsors the biology club, which was organized for high school students interested in doing outside work in biology.

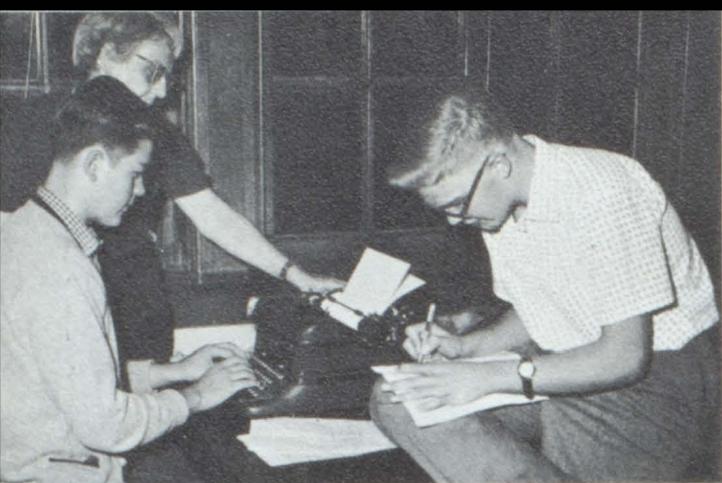
Mr. Lewis Golcynski uses the classroom to illustrate and display plant life.



### MR. GOSSEAU

Mr. Emile Gosseaux heads chemistry and physics studies at Roosevelt. Laboratory training and field trips help to round out the students' knowledge of physical sciences.

Mr. Emile Gosseaux demonstrates the use of the inclined plane.



Miss Thelma McAndless helps John Anderson and Harold Belcher with work on the Roosevelt Rough Rider.

In the English Department we see Miss Susan Stinson. This year Miss Stinson has worked strenuously in stressing the importance of reading many good books.

Miss Susan Stinson prepares her lesson plan for her English class.

#### ENGLISH

Miss Thelma McAndless is chairman of the English Department. She teaches English and literature in grades ten through twelve. She works with students in writing and in speech and encourages their participation in scholastic writing competitions and in the spring speech contests. She also directs the school's dramatic productions. As advisor of the Roosevelt publications, the newspaper and the yearbook, she spends many hours counseling her staffs.



## Languages give cultural breadth and depth

Miss Virginia Cooper directs the Latin courses at Roosevelt and also teaches ninth grade social studies. As adviser of the Roosevelt chapter of the National Honor Society, she conducts the spring initiation of new members.

Miss Virginia Cooper takes a group of social studies students to County Government Day.



#### French

"Parlez-vous-français?" is one of the questions frequently asked by Miss Lucille Langworthy, as she teaches French to the elementary and secondary grades. In high school students may take two years of French. If they wish to continue their studies, while they are still in Roosevelt, they may take French III and IV with the Eastern Michigan University classes.

Miss Lucille Langworthy teaches the students French by having them write sentences on the blackboard.



Mr. Robert Benden stands before a bulletin board made by some printing students.

#### INDUSTRIAL ARTS

In the industrial arts department is Mr. Robert Benden. With his guidance, students learn printing skills and how to set up print for newspapers, dance invitations, and name cards.



Mr. Carroll Osborn signs pass slips for his eighth grade homeroom.



Sculpture and painting are displayed by Mr. Roger Armstrong.

#### FINE ARTS

Roosevelt's fine arts department, headed by Mr. Roger Armstrong, offers students in grades seven through twelve opportunities to develop their artistic abilities.

Mr. Carrol Osborn is also in the industrial arts department. Through his instruction, students learn the art of creating practical, yet beautiful items out of metal, wood, and plastics.

## Our school curriculum includes many arts

Roosevelt's cooking staff, under the direction of Mrs. Charlotte Newkirk, enables students to purchase fine meals at noon in the cafeteria. College students are employed in the department and also help prepare and serve the meals.

Each school day Mrs. Newkirk is found in the kitchen preparing the noon meal for students and faculty.

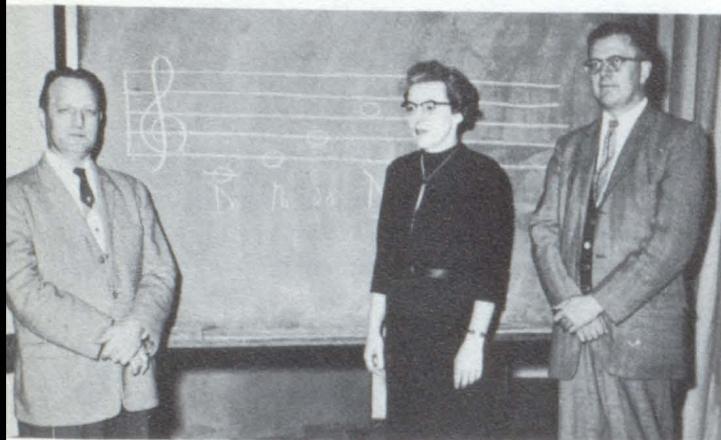




Mr. Alister Mac Donald, Miss Pearle Baxter, and Mr. Lawrence DeBoer show movies on social studies.

#### COMMERCIAL

Under the guidance of Miss Vera North our high school students receive an excellent background in commercial courses. With typing, bookkeeping, and shorthand they are not only prepared to handle their own business affairs but also are equipped to enter the professional or business world.



Mr. John Elwell, Mrs. Jean Sundquist, and Mr. Maurice Riley teach students how to read music.

#### SOCIAL STUDIES

History and social studies classes acquaint students with the customs and cultures of the world. Miss Pearle Baxter, Mr. Laurence DeBoer, and Mr. Alister MacDonald use visual aids in their class work to bring history to life. Miss Baxter accompanied representatives to the Model United Nations Assembly held in Hillsdale this spring.



Miss Vera North shows students a fundamental bookkeeping equation.

#### MUSIC DEPARTMENT

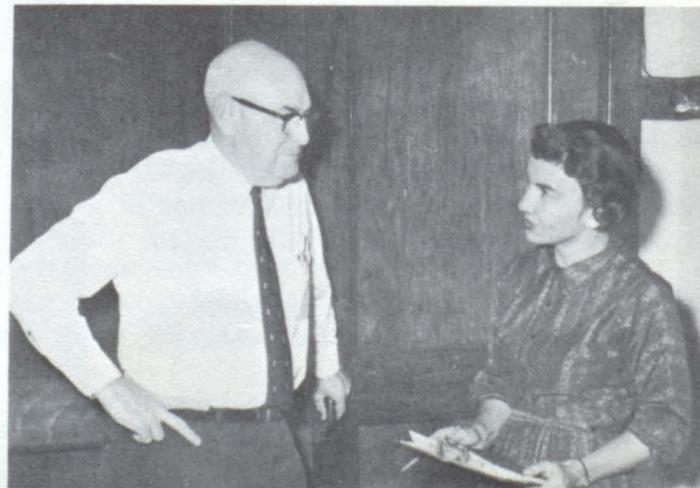
Under the direction of Mr. John Elwell, Mrs. Jean Sundquist, and Dr. Maurice Riley Roosevelt has a strong music curriculum. This year the chorus presented its first operetta, the orchestra took a first division rating at the District festival, and Mr. Elwell joined the teaching staff to work with junior high students.

## Varied courses offer well rounded program

#### PHYSICAL EDUCATION

In the Physical Education Department is Miss Mary Irene Bell who teaches the girls' Physical Activities and is the sponsor of the girls' swimming club, "The Sinkopators." Mr. A. D. Walker coaches various sports and is instructor in boys' physical education.

Miss Mary Irene Bell and Mr. Arthur Walker confer about the spring sports' schedule.





Mrs. Geraldine Kress checks the excuse of a returning absentee.

#### CLINIC

On duty in the clinic is Mrs. Geraldine Kress, the school nurse. She helps fight the never-ending battle of mumps, colds, measles, scratched elbows, and bumped knees. She also checks the health of returning absentees.



Mrs. Edith Collins marks a newly arrived book in order that it might be placed in its proper place.

#### LIBRARY

This perhaps, is one of the most used rooms in Roosevelt. Here, students find shelves of books to aid them in writing term papers, or in preparing reports. Mrs. Edith Collins, the librarian, is always willing to help students find materials.

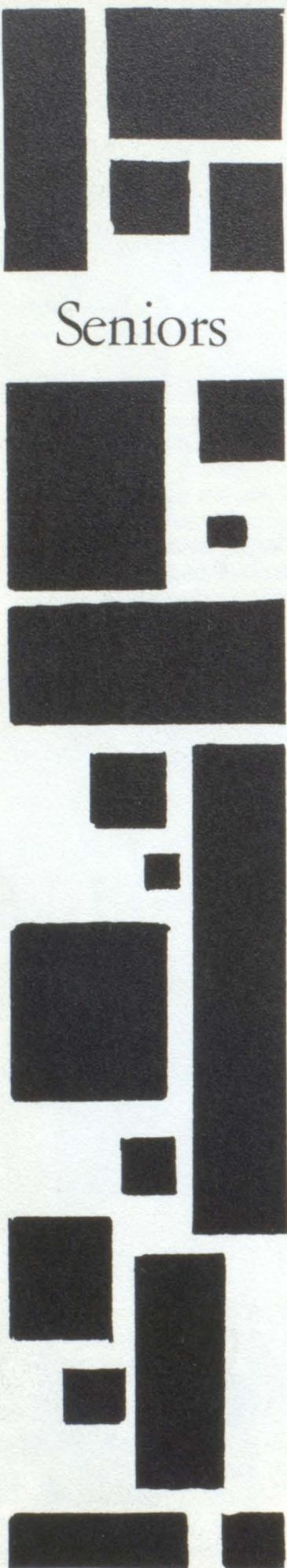
## The many sides of school require varied skills

### Home Economics

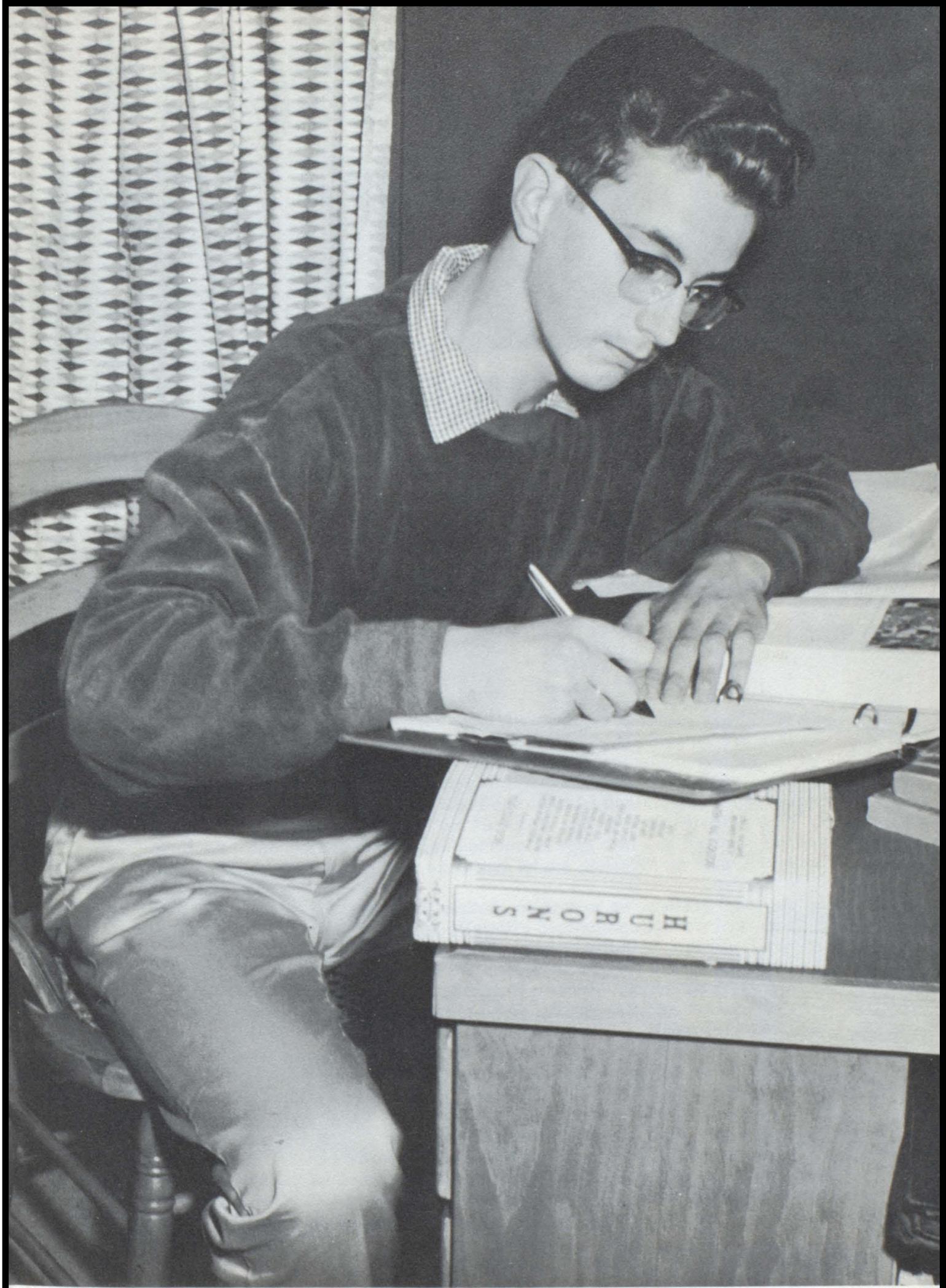
The Home Economics Department prepares the girls in grades seven through twelve to be the homemakers of tomorrow. The girls enjoy working in the well equipped home economics rooms where they learn to sew and cook. Through this department students become acquainted with the FHA Club, which is sponsored by Mrs. Barbara Heffington.

Mrs. Barbara Heffington trains girls to pour tea properly at the party.





Seniors





Our class was headed by president, Philip Clark; vice president, Rosalyn Taylor; secretary, Weslie Wilde; and treasurer, Carolyn Ruwitch.

We thank our class sponsors, Mr. Lawrence DeBoer and Miss Thelma McAndless, for their help and guidance through our high school days.



## We look upon the past with pride and

In 1954 we were 65 eager-eyed, long-eared seventh grade pupils. Today we are 50 seniors, sober-minded, intent upon such serious thoughts as the college ahead and the important decisions to be made.

As seventh graders we entered into the junior high activities, such as attending fun nights and football and basketball games.

The years seemed to fly. Suddenly we were freshmen. We found ourselves engaged in a new type of curriculum, a self-chosen one. We took an active part in athletics, social functions, and the clubs to which we were now eligible.

As tenth graders we moved up another place in the seating in the auditorium, and we were welcomed officially into the senior high by the sophomore initiation, "Autumn Swirl." The juniors put us through all kinds of stunts, but our day was yet to come. We successfully sponsored our first dance which we dubbed "Winter Wonderland." That spring we found out that Phil Clark and Bob Shaefer were elected to the top two positions on the Student Council.

At the beginning of our junior year we received our class rings. This started a busy year off with a bang. We put the sophomores through the paces of the initiation, "Fall Fantasia," and put on the dance, "Sayonara" as a farewell to the seniors.

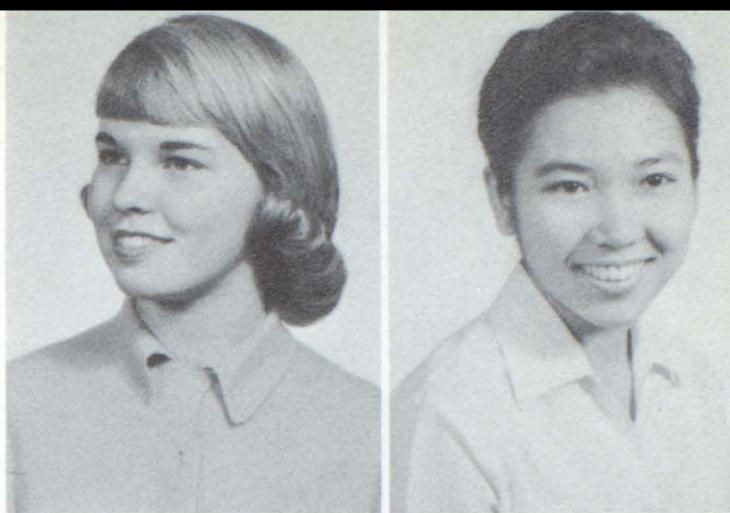
The senior year was here, and then gone; but during that year we took an exciting trip to New York and Washington, published our 1960 annual, and put on the spring dance to welcome the freshmen into senior high. Then that walk onto the stage to receive our diplomas. As we look back on old RHS we will always think, "This school was many things."

MARGARET "Peggy" ABERCROMBIE

Band 1,2,3,4; Majorette 1,2,3,4;  
Orchestra 1,2,3; F.T.A. 2; Swim Club  
1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3; Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4;  
J.A. 3,4; Girl Scouts 1,2,3; Rough  
Rider 1,2,3,4; Annual 4; Speech  
2,3; Bowling League 4.

CHIRAPON "Chira" ABHINORSAETH

Chirapon started in Roosevelt this  
year. She is an exchange student  
of Bangkok, Thailand. Last year  
she attended school at Auburn  
Academy in Auburn, Washington.



JOHN ANDERSON

Band 1; Football 1,2,3,4; Basket-  
ball 1,2; Tennis 3; Chorus 3;  
Student Council 3,4; Student  
Council Regional V. President  
3,4; J.A. 3,4; V. Pres. 3; Annual  
4; Rough Rider 4; Boy Scouts 1;  
Class President 3; Varsity Club  
3,4; Bowling League 4.

WILLIAM "Bill" ARMSTRONG

Band 1,2,3,4 Pres. 4, Drum Major  
4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Football 1;  
Basketball 1,2,3,4; Tennis 1,2,3,  
4; Chorus 3,4; Jr. -Sr. Plays 4;  
Annual 4; Scholastic Writing  
Award 2; Varsity Club 3,4.

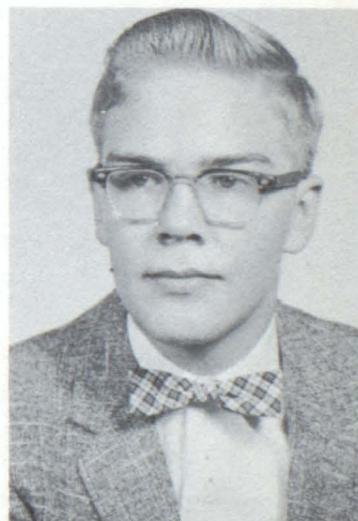
## into our Senior year with high hopes



Seniors Beverly Martin,  
Tom Silkworth, Jerry Furtney,  
and Phil Clark get a lot of  
use out of the Senior stairs.

HAROLD BELCHER

Football 1; Baseball 1,2; Swim-  
ming 3,4; Rough Rider Co-editor  
3,4; Honor Society 3,4; Annual  
Staff 4; Quill and Scroll 3,4;  
Scholarship Plaque 3.





DUANE BETTS

Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4;  
Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,  
4, Capt. 4; Swimming 1,2,3,4;  
Jr. Sr. Plays 4; J. A. 3,4; Annual  
Staff 4; Varsity Club 2,3,4.

LINDA BUCK

Jr. Sr. Plays 4; Girl Scouts 1,2,3;  
Annual 4; Chorus 4.

## Our first project was building up the treasury

RICHARD "Rick" CARTER

Football 3,4; Tennis 2,3,4; Chorus  
3,4; Art Guild 4; J. A. 4; Varsity  
Club 4; Bowling League 4.

PHILIP "Phil" CLARK

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,  
3,4, Capt. 4; Track 1,2,3,4;  
Chorus 2,3,4, Pres. 4; Student  
Council 1,2,3, Pres. 3; Jr. Sr.  
Plays 3,4; Varsity Club 1,2,3,4,  
Pres. 4; Boys State Alternate 3;  
Class V. Pres. 2; Speech 3.



WILLIAM "Paul" CLAY

Football 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3,4;  
J.A. 4; Annual 4.



Mike Ichesco, John Anderson, and  
Julie Davis are busy selling refresh-  
ments at the football game.

JULIE ANN DAVIS

Band 2,3; Orchestra 1,2,3,4;  
G.A.A. 1,2,3; Swim Club 1,2,3,4;  
Chorus 1,2,3; Student Council 2;  
Jr. Sr. Plays 3; Rough Rider 3,4;  
Annual Co-editor 4; Speech 2,4;  
Bowling League 4.

CARL "Jerry" FURTNEY

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2;  
Tennis 2,3,4; Annual 4; Varsity  
Club 3,4 Sec. Treas. 3,4; Bowling  
League 4.



## by selling refreshments at the football games



BETH MARIE "Buzz" DYKMAN

F.T.A. 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A.  
1,2,3,4; Swim Club 1,2,3,4, V.  
Pres. 3, Pres. 4; Chorus 2,3,4  
Sec. Treas. 3,4; Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4;  
Speech 2,3,4; Cheerleading 1,2,  
3,4; J.A. 3,4; Rough Rider 4; Girl  
Scouts 1,2,3,4; Annual 4; Pep  
Club 4; Bowling League 4.

DAVID "Dave" GOINGS

Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4;  
Swimming 1,2,3,4; Chorus 3,4;  
Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4; Speech 3,4;  
Boy Scouts 1; Band Council 3.



Our three exchange students Olan  
Viravan, Chirapon Abhinorsaeth,  
and Ben van der Wolf are talking  
with Principal L. W. Menzi about  
their plans for the year.

RICHARD "Ricky" GRAY

Football 1,2,3,4 Capt. 4; Basket-  
ball 2,3,4; Swimming 1; Tennis  
1,2; Baseball 3,4; Chorus 4;  
Student Council 3; J.A. 3,4;  
Annual 4; Rough Rider 3; Varsity  
Club 1,2,3,4 V. Pres. 4; Boy  
Scouts 1; Class Pres. 1, V. Pres. 3;  
Bowling League 4.





CAROL HENDERSON

F.T.A. 2; G.A.A. 2,3,4 Sec.  
Treas. 3, V. Pres. 4; Chorus 1,3,4  
V. Pres. 3,4; Student Council 4  
Sec. 4; Homecoming Court 1,4;  
Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4; Cheerleading 3;  
J.A. 3,4; Annual 4; Rough Rider  
3,4; Class Sec. 2.

MICHAEL "Mike" ICHESCO

Band 2; Jr. Sr. Plays 4; Annual 4;  
Concession Stand Chairman 4.

DOUGLAS "Doug" HOUCK

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,  
3,4; Swimming 1; Tennis 1,2;  
Track 3,4; Capt. 4; J.A. 3,4;  
Varsity Club 1,2,3,4; Boy Scouts  
1,2; Bowling League 4.

ROBERT "Bob" JAMES

Orchestra 3,4; Chorus 4; Jr. Sr.  
Plays 3,4; Annual 4.



## Other projects included publishing the Echo



LAWRENCE "Larry" JUDSON

Band 1; Basketball 1,3,4; Tennis  
1,3,4; Chorus 3,4; Student Coun-  
cil 4; J.A. 3; Varsity Club 4;  
Boy Scouts 1; Bowling League 4.



Pat Schliskey and Beth Dykman decide  
on pictures to use in the 1960 Echo.

ROBERT "Bob" LANPHEAR

Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4; Basketball 2;  
Bowling League 4.

SUSAN "Sue" LEE

Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4;  
F.T.A. 2,3,4; F.H.A. 1; G.A.A.  
1,2,3; Swim Club 1,2,3,4; Chorus  
1,2,3; Speech 3,4; 1st Humorous  
3; J.A. 3,4; Annual Staff 4.



BEVERLY "Bev" MARTIN

F.H.A. 2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4;  
Chorus 1,3,4; Speech 3; J.A. 3,4;  
Annual 4.

DONNA JEAN MARTIN

Band 1,2,3,4, Sec. 4; Orchestra  
1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4 V. Pres.  
4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4, Sec Treas. 2;  
Swim Club 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,  
3,4; Girl Scouts 1; Annual 4;  
Michigan Chorale 4; Bowling  
League 4.

## and making corsages for Homecoming



Chirapon Abhinorsaeth, Jeanne Skrobe, Emma Lowell, and Diane Sovey are making carnations for Homecoming with the help of the senior sponsors, Miss McAndless and Mr. DeBoer.

DIANNE MEAD

F.H.A. 1; Speech 2,4; J.A. 4;  
Annual 4; Concession Stand 4.





THOMASENE "Toni" McCASLIN

Jonesville High, Jonesville, Michigan 1; Miami High, Miami, Florida 2; F.T.A. 3,4, Treasurer 4; Class Treasurer 3; Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4; Speech 3,4.

ROBERT "Bob" MICHELSON

Baseball 1,2,3,4; Chorus 2; Jr. Sr. Plays 4; Speech 2,3; J.A. 3; Concession Stand 4; Varsity Club.

## Seniors sang in "Masquerade in Vienna"

BRUCE OSBORNE

Band 1,2; Football 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club 1,2,3,4.

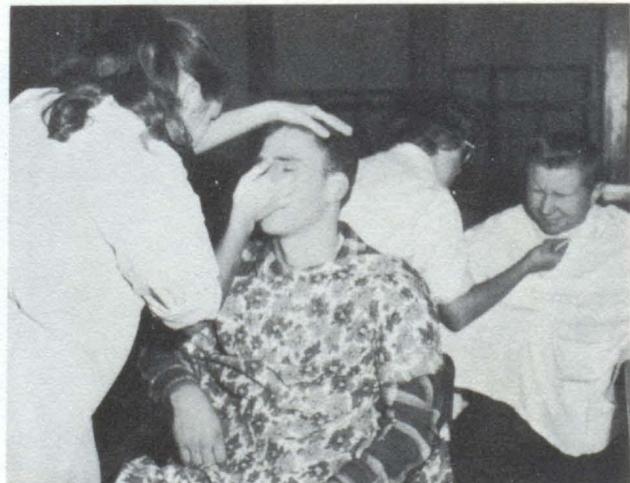
CAROLYN RUWITCH

Band 1,2,3,4; F.T.A. 2; G.A.A. 1,2,4; Speech 2; Honor Society 3,4; Rough Rider 3,4; Writing Award 2; Class Treas. 4; Bowling League 4.



DAVID SALYER

Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Chorus 2,3,4; Jr. Sr. Plays 3; Speech 3; Art Guild 4; J.A. 3,4; Boys Chorus 3; Varsity Club 1,2,3,4; Boy Scouts 1; Bowling League 4; Rough Rider 3,4.



Phil Clark and Larry Judson are being made up by Julie Fulford and Kathy Foreman for the operetta "Masquerade in Vienna."

PATRICIA "Pat" SCHLISKEY

Birmingham High School 1; F.T.A. 2,3,4 Treas. 3; G.A.A. 2,3,4; Chorus 2,3,4; Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4; Annual, Co-editor 4.

JEANNE (SHREWSBURY) SKROBE

Belleville High School 1,2,3; Art Guild 4.



## The Prom highlighted the social calendar



ROBERT "Bob" SHAEFER

Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2; Swimming 1,2,3,4 Capt. 4; Tennis 2,3,4; Track 1; Chorus 3,4; Student Council 3 V. Pres. 3; Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4; Speech 2,3,4; Varsity Club 1,2,3,4; Band Council 1,2,3,4 V. Pres. 3,4; Class Pres. 2; Honor Society 3,4; Boys State 3; Chamberlain Speaking Cup 2

LYNN SHUPE

F.H.A. 2,3,4 Treas. 4; G.A.A. 2, 3,4; Annual 4.



The Senior Prom was a big event for all of us. Here Carol Henderson, Ricky Gray, Maxine Elliot, and John Anderson are leading the Grand march.

MARGARET "Peggy" SCHEFFLER

F.T.A. 2,3,4 Pres. 4; G.A.A. 1,2, 3,4; Swim Club 1,2,3,4 Swimming Cup 3; Chorus 1,2,3; Student Council 4; Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4; Speech 2,3; Cheerleading 1,2,4; Annual 4; Rough Rider 3,4; Bowling League 4.





THOMAS "Tom" SILKWORTH

Swimming 1,2; J.A. 4; Bowling 4

LINDA SIMPKINS

F.H.A. 1,2; Chorus 1; Girls Chorus 1; Jr. Sr. Plays 3; Annual 2,4; Concession Stand 4.

DIANE SOVEY

Band 3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; F.T.A. 2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1, 2,3,4; Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4; Speech 2, 3,4 1st in District 2,3; Honor Society 3,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4; Scholarship Plaque 1,3; Rough Rider 1,2,3,4 Co-editor 3,4; Girls State Alternate 3; Writing Award 3; Michigan Chorale 4; Bowling League 4; National Science Scholarship 3.

KATHYRN "Kay" STASKIEVITZ

Orchestra 3,4; F.H.A. 1,2; G.A.A. 1, 2,3,4; Chorus 2,3; Girls Chorus 2; Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4; J.A. 3; Annual 4.



## Planning for the future required the advice



ROBERTA STEVENS

G.A.A. 2,3; Chorus 1,2; Girls Chorus 1,2.



Mrs. Crouch helps Donna Martin, Carolyn Ruwitch, and Peggy Abercrombie to choose a college.

ROSALYN "Cookie" TAYLOR

F.T.A. 3,4 Sec. 4; G.A.A. 3,4;  
Student Council 1,4; Homecoming  
Court 3; Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4; Speech  
3,4; Cheerleading 1,2,3,4 Capt. 4;  
J.A. 3,4; Girl Scouts 1; Class V.  
Pres. 4; Annual 4; Bible Club 4;  
Pep Club 4; F.H.A. 4.

KAY THAYER

J.A. 3,4; Girl Scouts 1; Annual 4.



OLAN VIRAVAN

This was Olan's second year in Roosevelt. He is an exchange student from Thailand.  
Tennis 3,4; Concession Stand 4;  
Basketball 4.

BEN H. A. VAN DER WOLF

Ben started in Roosevelt this year and has taken part in the J.A., Speech, and Bowling League. In the Netherlands Ben attended school at Professor Zeeman-Lyceum, where he was active with the student council and the soccer team.

## and encouragement of our counselors



John Anderson, David Wheeler, Peggy Scheffler, Diane Sovey, Weslie Wilde, Ricky Gray, Doug Houck, and Kay Staskievitz, show off the graduation robes.

DAVID WHEELER

Football 1,2; Chorus 4; Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4; Rough Rider 1,2,3,4; Annual 4; Varsity Club 3,4; Boy Scouts 1; Bowling League 4.





WESLIE "Wes" WILDE

Orchestra 1,2,3,4; F.T.A. 2,3,4  
V. Pres. 4; F.H.A. 1,2 Treas. 2;  
G.A.A. 1,2,3,4 V. Pres. 3 Pres. 4;  
Chorus 1,2,3,4; Student Council  
2; Jr. Sr. Plays 3,4; Speech 3,4;  
Rough Rider 4; Annual 4; Girls  
State 3; Honor Society 3,4; Class  
Secretary 4; DAR Award 4;  
Bowling League 4.



JUDITH "Judy" WORLEY

F.H.A. 3,4; G.A.A. 3,4; Chorus  
1,2,3,4 Treas. 4; Girls Chorus 1;  
Student Council 3; Jr. Sr. Plays  
3,4; J.A. 3,4; Annual 4; Class  
Treas. 2.

As Seniors we will look on our school as



"many things"



MALEN HALL

Track 1; Varsity Club 3; Rough  
Rider 3,4.



JACQUELINE "Jackie" MEYER

Bible Club 4



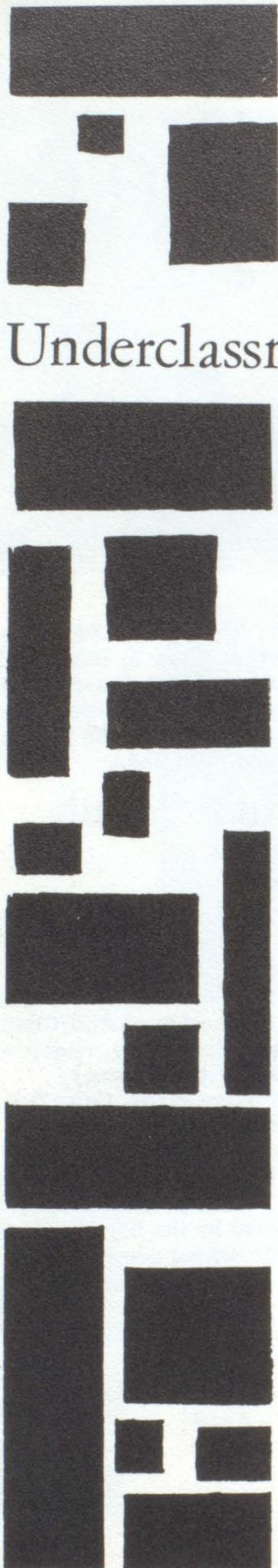
(Front row) Doug Houck, Larry Judson, David Salyer, Ricky Gray, Phil Clark, Jerry Furtney, Paul Clay, John Anderson, Ricky Carter. (Row 2) Barry Calder, Ron Capizzi, David Rockwell, Fred Perry, Bill Armstrong, Bob Shaefer, Mr. Walker, Bruce Osborne, Al Milford, Don Worley, Craig Ballard, Roger Brooks. (Back row) Olan Viravan, Duane Betts, Tom Hughes, Tom Tate, John Dawson, Jim Ferrer, Tom Otts, Jack Kennedy, Richard Hoffman, Jim Nass.

## Lettermen Take Part In Varsity Club



The Varsity Club officers are Doug Houck, Jerry Furtney, Ricky Gray and Phil Clark.

The 1959-60 Varsity Club, under the leadership of Phil Clark, president, Ricky Gray, vice president, and Jerry Furtney, secretary-treasurer, Doug Houck, sergeant-at-arms, consists of boys who have earned a varsity letter. In January the club sponsored a sock hop. A car-wash was planned by the boys to raise money for school needs.



## Underclassmen







Craig Ballard



Patty Bates



David Bisel



Linda Blakemore



Carol Bloom



Nancy Bruner



Barbara Buelow



Patty Burns



Calvin Scott pays the  
penalty for trespassing on  
the senior stairs by using  
an eye-dropper to fill a  
bucket with water.



Ron Capizzi



Betty Case



Carol Congdon



Nancy Cummings



Barbara Davey



John Dawson



Barbara DeBoer



Tom Durant



Jim Ferrer



Kay Ferris



Bette Gilden



Bill Giles



Karen Glass



Ken Gomer

In September the juniors began work on Roosevelt's first operetta, "Masquerade in Vienna." Their long awaited class rings arrived in October. The Sophomore Reception was the first big party sponsored by the juniors. The initiation was followed by an informal dance, "Moon Glow." The second semester was a busy one as the juniors continued their activities taking part in the speech contests and the Junior Senior Play Festival. Candidates for Student Council offices took the platform during the spring campaign assembly. At the end of the year, the class sponsored the Junior Senior Prom. Class sponsors, Miss Pearle Baxter and Mr. Emile Gosseaux, helped to make this a successful year for the juniors.



Susan Hopps



Ina Hanson



Barbara Henderson



Marion Hitchings



Maurine Howe

# Juniors assume important roles in school



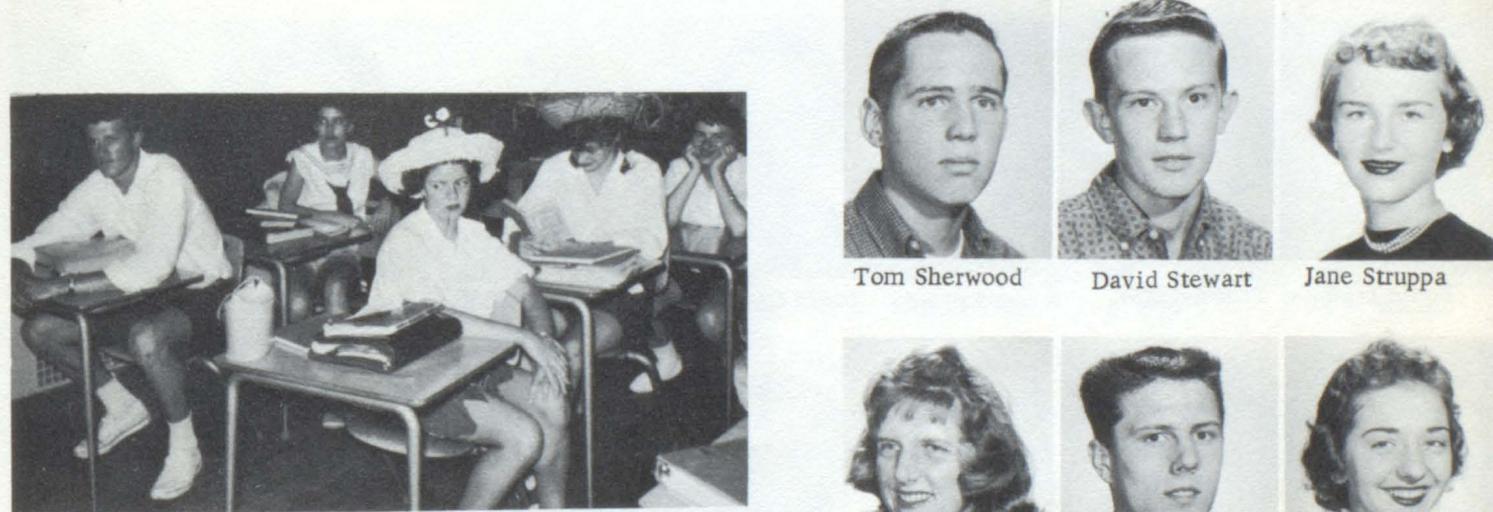
Tom Hughes      Judith James      Jack Kennedy      Bruce Kersey      Betsy Kontny      Aprill Krause      Bob Kruse



Judy Kutzan      Linda Leininger      Rita Manion      Jim Masters      John Maxwell      Penny McClure      Al Milford



Tom Otts      Dick Parrett      Fred Perry      George Riley      David Rockwell      Mickey Roesch      Calvin Scott



Calvin Scott, Karen Glass, Patty Bates, Mickey Roesch, and Jane Struppa take part in Roosevelt's first Bermuda Day.

Tom Tate was absent when pictures were taken.



Tom Sherwood      David Stewart      Jane Struppa



Judy Vargo      Don Worley      Claudia Zeller

# Sophs prove versatile for initiation rites



Carolyn Anderson



Anna Belcher



David Betts

High I.Q.'s are standard equipment for the 57 boys and girls who make up this year's sophomore class at Roosevelt. Scholastically, as a group, they have a high average and by the time they are ready for graduation there will be real competition for top honors. The class sponsored this year's senior high school Christmas dance, "The Icy Interlude," and the varied talents of individual class members have been making a contribution to all of Roosevelt's athletic and musical programs. Their class advisers--and they have done a good job--are Miss Virginia A. Cooper and Miss M. Margaret Gotts.



Robert Borusch



Mary Brady



Roger Brooks



Thomas Buck



Barry Calder



Shirley Caldwell



Janet Coleman



Richard DeLong



Cherie DeNoyer



Gary Durfee



David Erickson



Toni Everard



Karen Falstad



David Gauntlett



Janet Goings



Jill Greenstreet



Carol Gunn



Clifford Hanson



Mary Harrison



Phyllis Henderson



Richard Hoffman



Tim Hoover



Chester Jones



Alvin Judson



Charlotte Kersey



Paulette Kersey



Lois Magee



Sandra McCaslin



Ellen McDermott and Nadia Ruwitch show their singing talents by rendering their version of "Camp Kookamunga" at the Sophomore initiation.



Ellen McDermott



Anne Moore



James Nass



Pat Palmer



Mary Louise Pate



Amalia Pavlos



Linda Powers



Barbara Prochnow



Lewis Richards



Nadia Ruwitch



Sandra Shuda



Tony Smith



Gary Stewart



Kenton Struppa



Mark Sutter



Samuel Taylor



Gail Tedford



Jodi Tripp



The sophomores sponsored their first big dance, Snowflake Swirl.

Valsine Francois and Beth Milford were absent when pictures were taken.



Norma Vargo



Martha Virtue



Juliette Walton



Jean Warner



Jeffrey Wehking



Richard Wise



James Abercrombie

Pat Adair

Barbara Baker



Douglas Betts

Diana Burlingame

Tim Burns

# Freshmen join in high

This year's freshman class, under the guidance of Mr. Francis Welper and Mr. Louis Golczynski, participated in an impressive array of activities. They turned out to give enthusiastic support to the athletic teams. The class sponsored the Frosh Christmas party and fun-nights. They sold magazines during the fall, and members of the class sold pom-poms in homerooms for Homecoming. The spring dance, Rainbow Rhapsody, marked the first high school function to which the class of 1963 was invited.



Dan Cox

Paula Cox

Maealyce Daprich

James Davis

Martha Farris

Lindsay Franklin

Robert Giles



Bonnie Harr

Bill Kennedy

Donna Kersey

Judy Kliemann

Stephanie Kutzen

Sandra Lanphear

Kirk Leighton



Pom-poms for the homecoming game with Manchester are sold in Mr. Osborne's eighth grade homeroom by Wendy Wismer and Bonnie Harris.



Steven Leonard

Rosetta Lynn

Mike MacDonald



Jo Ann Magee

Kathy Martin

Ann McClelland

# school activities



Tom McClure Janet McDougall John Max Maribeth Myers



Randy Norris Dave Palmer Richard Pleuss Christopher Potter Charlene Peller Sue Pyle Ben Carl Riley



Laurie Sanzi Nancy Schreiber Barbara Seyfried Lewis Shaefer Mary Silkworth David Smith Douglas Smith

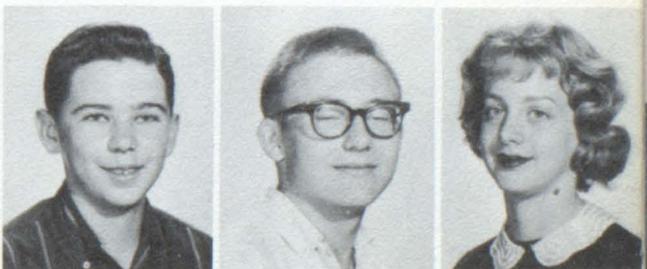


Thomas Smith Diana Sprague Mike Sukach Dennis Summers Thomas Touse Robert Ulrich Mary Van Black



The annual frosh Christmas party finds Chuck Warner, Gloria Weber, Nancy Schreiber, Wendy Wismer, and Louis Shaefer joining in the festivities.

Jack Burton was absent when pictures were taken.



Peter VandeWalker Charles Warner Gloria Weber



Kathleen Wimer Wendy Wismer

# Eighth graders boost school spirit at assemblies and games



Virgil Andrews



Nancy Baker



Brent Balazs



Barbara Barich



Diane Benson



Donald Brickell



Susan Capizzi



Dee Cavanaugh



Kenneth Cleeton



Allen Clow



Janet Congdon



June Cook



Heinz Cuddeback



Jane Davis



James DeBoer



Alex Dukay



Diane Durfee



Tamara Eberle



Kathy Foreman



Julia Fulford



Gene Hall



Joe McCulloch, Phil Kontny, Janet Congdon  
and Jackie Roesch work on art projects.



James Herndon



Perry Hewitt



Carol Hilbert



Nancy Hitchings



Celeste Hoover



Ronald Karoub



Russell Kenyon



Phil Kontny

The biggest thrill that came to the eighth graders this year was the Junior League Basketball Championship gained by the class of '64's future varsity hoopsters. The boys also prepared to strengthen the RHS swimming team next year as they practices under Ron Munson's direction. Meanwhile the girls tried out for cheerleading and participated actively in the synchronized swim club.



Richard Lockwood Mary MacDonald Joe McCulloch Betty Lou Meyer



Mike Milford Lamar Miller Karl Myers Ronald Norris



Evelyn Norton Daren Otis Michael Pear Stephen Post Patrick Powers Linda Pugh Jacquelyn Roesch



Ronald Scheive William Sinkule Sherry Skinner Judith Stanlake Julie Stewart Mike Tripp Dan Vargo



Jackie Roesch, Tom Webb, and Evelyn Norton star in the eighth grade play A Case For Two Detectives.

Jeffery Richards was absent when pictures were taken.



Dan Walter Edwin Watson Thomas Webb



Virginia Wescott Louis Worley



Laurence Addison Judith Bair

Margaret Beal

Dennis Betts



Don Goings and a friend enjoy a spirited game of ping pong at one of the junior high fun-nights.



Bradford Blair Diane Blakemore

Barbara Borusch

Dawn Brooks



Nancy Brooks Brewster Brown

Robert Brumbaugh

Alfred Burrell

Kathy Cox

Joseph Cox

Laurie Crane



Anita Ferrer

David Franklin

Carol Gauntlett

Nancy Giles

Donald Goings

Patricia Gomer

Daniel Gooding



Betty Hanson Bradley Jones

Kenneth Kable

Geri LaBounty

Wesley Langer

William Martin

Kristine Max



Cathy Maxwell Jeneen McDougall Creagh Milford

Jon Obermeyer

John Osborn

Lorelle Otis

Marcia Pate

# Seventh graders study, hold parties, attend fun-nites

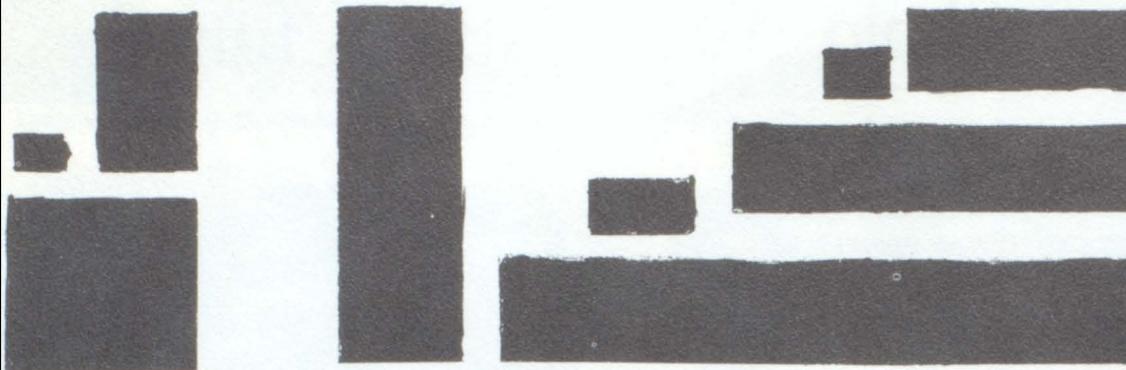
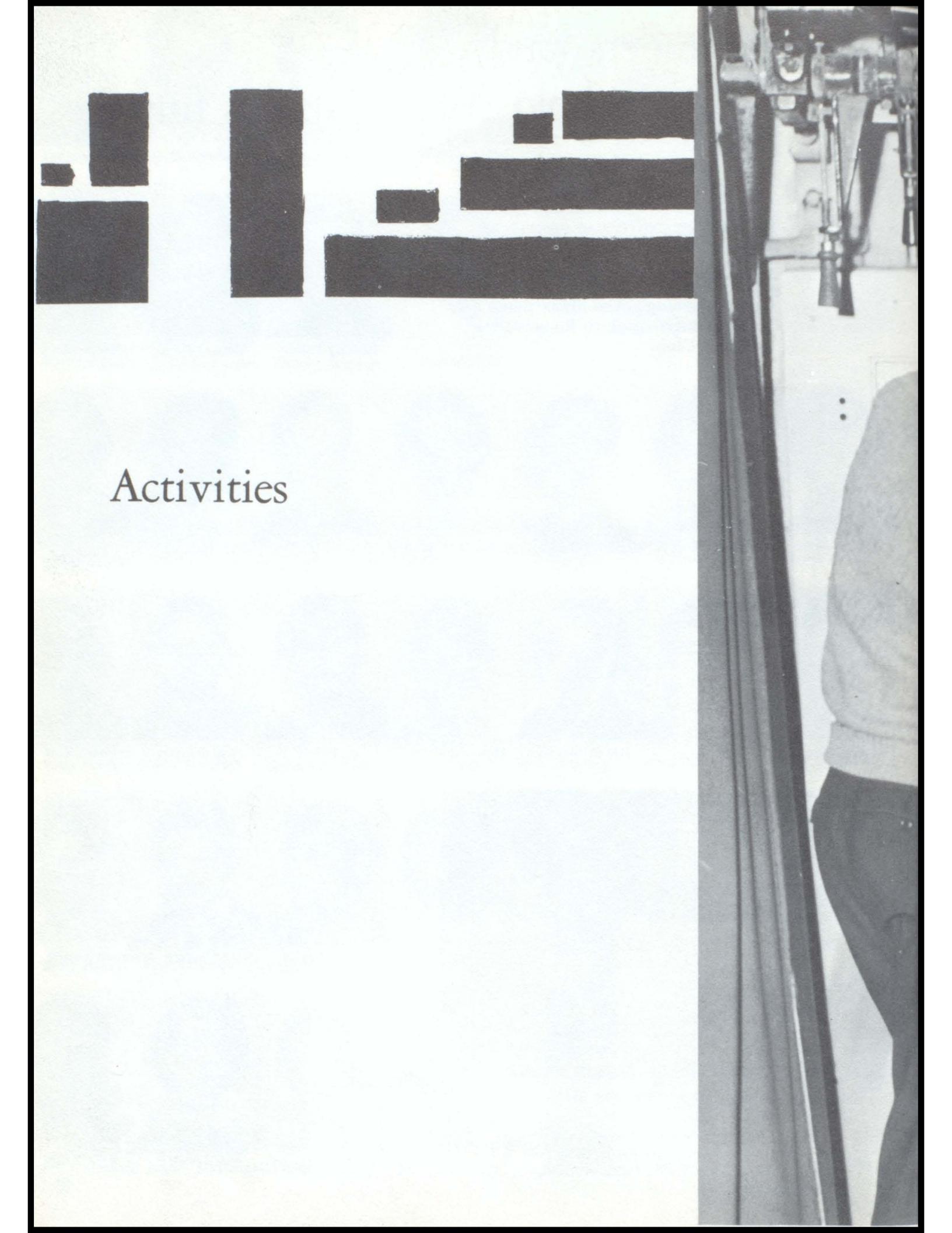
Sixty-two seventh graders took their place in RHS this fall with Mr. Alister MacDonald and Miss Lucille Langworthy as sponsors. Miss Langworthy conducted a French class for the seventh graders from eight-thirty until nine every morning. The class made a strong contribution to Roosevelt's new Pep Club.



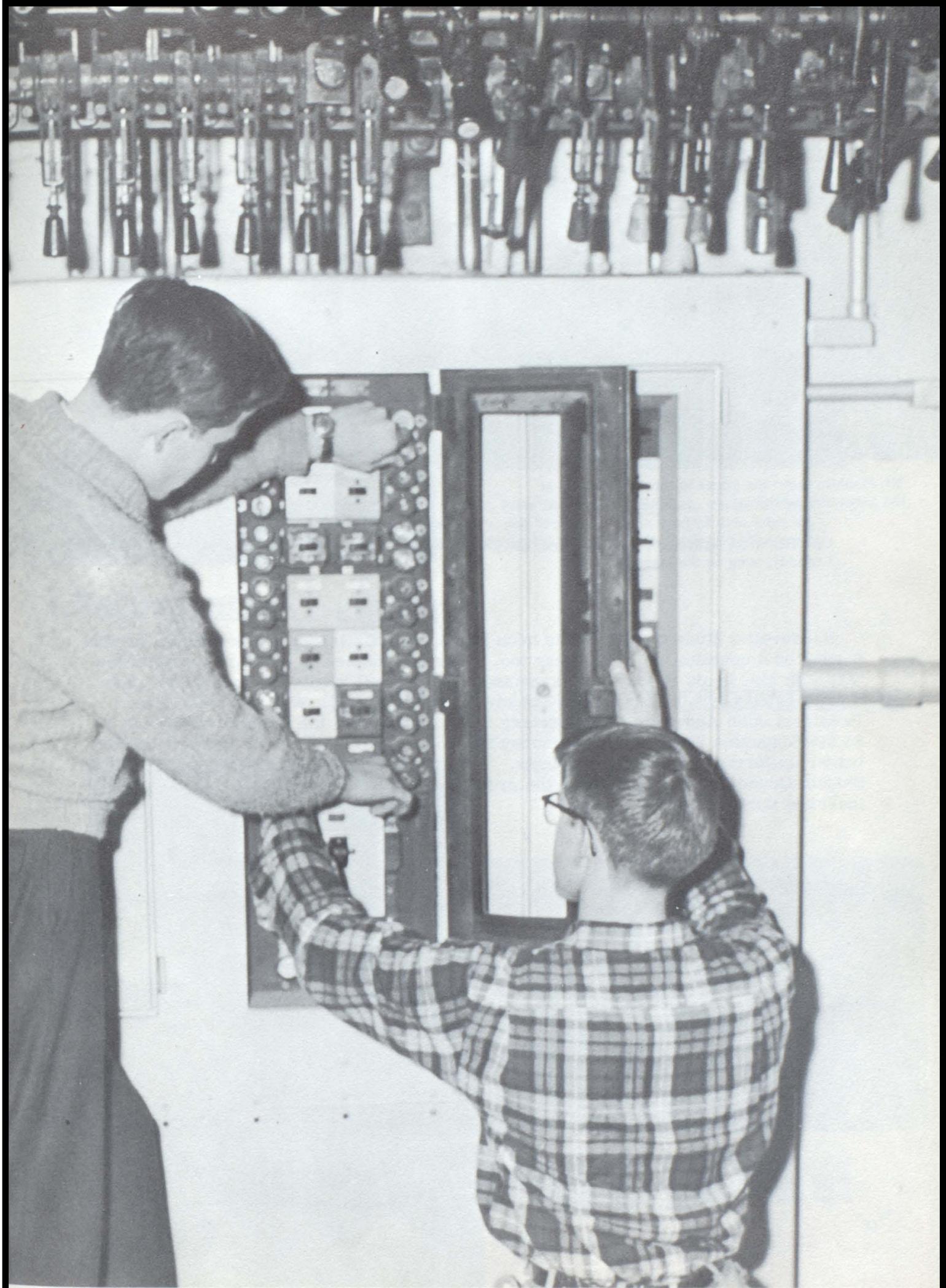
Seventh graders play a lively game at their Christmas party.

The following were absent when pictures were taken: William Everard, Mary Farris, Betsy Foster, Nancy Giles, Kitty Shupe, Susan Seyfried, and Kip Swihart.





## Activities



# Council practices democratic principles



Mr. Franklin shows the prizes to the student body at the Magazine Assembly.

Officers, Carol Henderson, John Anderson, and Jack Kennedy, work on the Magazine Sale.



Roosevelt's Student Council has been functioning continuously since 1925. In 1931 it adopted a constitution. That year too, under the leadership of Clark Greenstreet '31, with Mr. Louis Golczynski as sponsor, the Council instituted Roosevelt's first Vocations Day. This year, Jack Kennedy '61, is president. With the aid of Vice-President John Anderson and Secretary Carol Henderson, the Council sponsored a \$5,000 Magazine Sale. With this money the Council purchased such items as cheerleader uniforms and band instruments. The Council entertained the Region III Student Council in October. Also the group has had various social activities and managed Homecoming.



Left to right: Pete VandeWalker, Joe McCulloch, Barbara Barich, Jodi Tripp, Jim Nass, Dave Wheeler, Peggy Scheffler, Cookie Taylor, Carol Henderson, Jack Kennedy, John Anderson, Larry Judson, Tom Tate, Susan Sanzi, Patty Gomer, Barbara Henderson, Penny McClure, Mike MacDonald, David Erickson.

# Honor Society recognizes outstanding effort

The National Honor Society is composed of ten per cent of the junior class and fifteen per cent of the senior class. Members are selected by the faculty from the top third of their class on the basis of scholarship, leadership, citizenship, and service. The group's adviser, Miss Virginia Cooper, conducts the formal initiation held at the Honors Assembly in the spring.



Miss Cooper, Julie Davis, Harold Belcher, Weslie Wilde, Diane Sovey, Bob Shaefer, Carolyn Ruwitch pose after the spring announcement of National Honor Society honorees.

## Distinguished citizens

## honored at state conventions



Boys' State, held on the MSU campus last summer, and Girls' State, held at the UM campus, gave the delegates a first hand experience on state and local government. Officials were elected for mock cities, counties, and states. The delegates were chosen on the basis of leadership, citizenship, and moral character.

(Counterclockwise) Bob Shaefer, Phil Clark, Weslie Wilde, Diane Sovey--here are the Roosevelt delegates for Boys' and Girls' State.



Editorial Board. (Around the table) Barbara Seyfried, Diane Sovey, Harold Belcher, Mickey Roesch. (Row 2) Nancy Shreiber, Julie Davis, Stephanie Kutzen, Tom Tate, Carolyn Ruwitch confer regarding Rough Rider assignments.

For the second consecutive year Diane Sovey and Harold Belcher have edited the Rough Rider. Many days after four o'clock room 319 has been the busiest room in the school, with the last minute rush involved in publishing a tri-weekly newspaper. Students in grades seven through twelve contribute many hours of effort to help make the newspaper successful.

## Scholastic publications give young writers

(Around table) Barbara Seyfreid, Diane Sovey, Harold Belcher, Mickey Roesch. (Row 2) Julie Davis, Leslie Wilde, Shirley Caldwell, Ellen McDermott, Mary Harrison, Mary Silkworth, Carol Henderson, Patty Burns, Betty Case. (Row 3) Nancy Shreiber, Peggy Abercrombie, Barbara Barich, Tom Tate, Jack Kennedy, Maurine Howe, Carolyn Ruwitch.





(Around the table) Pat Schliskey, Kay Staskievitz, Carol Henderson, Beth Dykman, (Row 2) Julie Davis, Beverly Martin, Weslie Wilde, Peggy Scheffler, Lynn Shupe. (Row 3) Duane Betts, Susan Lee, Jerry Furtney, Mike Ichesco, Bill Armstrong discuss ways to develop theme: SCHOOL IS MANY THINGS.

## opportunity to serve their community

The "Echo" staff and co-editors, Pat Schliskey and Julie Davis, selected the theme for this year's annual: School is Many Things. The staff consists of Harold Belcher, business manager; Mike Ichesco, advertising; Beth Dykman, senior editor; Judy Worley, music; Bill Armstrong, underclassmen; Carol Henderson, activities; Peggy Scheffler and Weslie Wilde, faculty; Jerry Furtney, sports; and student photographers, Mary Silkworth and Dave Wheeler. The group worked long and hard to sell and publish the pictorial record of the year's events at RHS. Their jobs consisted of taking pictures, developing the dummies, cropping pictures, writing copy, and layout.

Carol Henderson, Pat Schliskey, and Julie Davis paste up pictures.



# GAA sponsors intra-mural projects



(Front row) Beverly Martin, Diane Sovey, Rosalyn Taylor, Beth Dykman, Donna Martin, Carol Henderson, Ina Hansen, Mrs. Crouch, sponsor; Weslie Wilde, Bette Gilden, Peggy Scheffler, Carolyn Ruwitch, Susan Lee. (Row 2) Phyllis Henderson, Sandy Shuda, Pat Palmer, Norma Vargo, Carolyn Anderson, Shirley Caldwell, Janet Coleman, Carol Bloom, Jill Greenstreet, Ellen McDermott, Barbara Prochnow, Gail Tedford, Karen Falstad, Betty Case, Patty Burns. (Back row) Lois Magee, Kay Ferris, Barbara Henderson, Barbara DeBoer, Barbara Davey, Linda Blakemore, Rita Manion, Penny McClure, Linda Leininger, Mickey Roesch, Marion Hitchings, Barbara Buelow, Carol Congdon, Maurine Howe, Aprill Krause, Patty Bates.



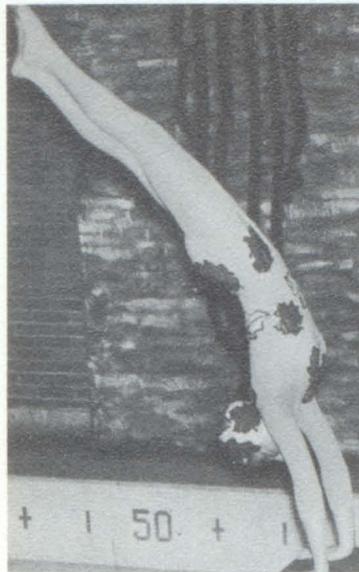
Ina Hansen, secretary; Bette Gilden, recorder; Carol Henderson, vice-president; Weslie Wilde, president; and Mrs. Crouch discuss the year's schedule for G.A.A.

Nancy Weber and Rosetta Lynn prepare for a jump ball at a G.A.A. basketball game.

The Girls' Athletic Association, headed this year by senior Weslie Wilde, developed sportsmanship and the ability to get along with others as the girls participated in speed-away, volley ball, bowling, basketball, and soft ball. The new members were initiated in the spring by the upperclassmen. With the assistance of their adviser, Mrs. Florence Crouch, the girls sponsored an all-sports banquet for all lettermen.



# Sinkopators, polywogs cultivate water-ways

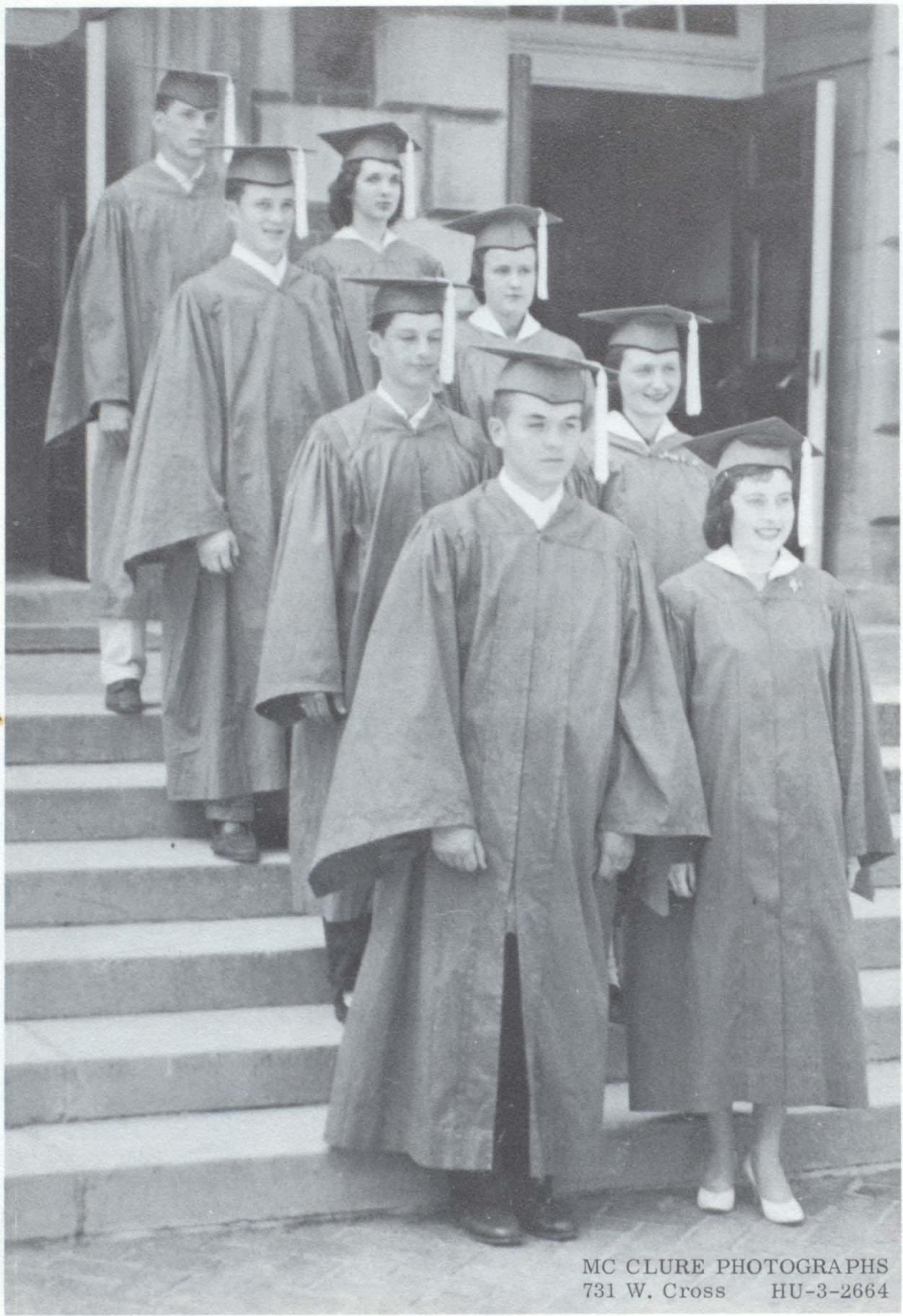


Peggy Scheffler demonstrates the skills that won her the achievement award.

Roosevelt's synchronized swim club, under the guidance of Miss Mary Irene Bell, has concentrated this year on developing the individual's swimming talents. The members attended the U of M clinic, and encouraged intra-school and inter-school competition. At the end of the year there is an award given to the girl who makes the greatest progress. Peggy Scheffler was the 1959 honoree. This year, as a social service Christmas project, club members made glass cases for the residents of the Washtenaw County Home for the Aged. In the spring they sponsored a social evening for the Boys' Swim Team.

(Front row) Julie Fulford, Kathy Foreman, Kathy Martin, Bonnie Harris, Mary Van Black, Jane Davis, Diana Burlingame, Randy Norris, Nancy Hitchings, Laurie Sanzi, Janet Congdon. (Row 2) Anne McClelland, Jodi Tripp, Pat Palmer, Carol Congdon, Nadia Ruwitch, Sherry Skinner, Susan Capizzi, Jill Greenstreet, Toni Everard, Marion Hitchings, Barbara Baker, Jinx Wescott. (Row 3) Betty Case, Patty Burns, Donna Martin, Peggy Scheffler, Carol Bloom, vice-president Beth Dykman, president; Susan Lee, Peggy Abercrombie, Julie Davis, Beth Milford, Barbara Davey.





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Pep Club cheers at a football game.



Who thought it up--a pep club for Roosevelt? Mostly the sophomore girls, it seems. They had the pep, so they created a club. They organized; chose a sponsor, Mr. Welper; wrote a constitution; got Student Council approval; and elected officers. These are president, Mickey Roesch; vice-president, Ellen McDermott; and secretary, Marti Virtue. They succeeded in raising attendance at the games. They set up a cheering section and supported the cheerleaders.



The officers Marti Virtue, Ellen McDermott, and Mickey Roesch discuss plans for Pep Week with Mr. Welper. \*

## Pep club boosts school spirit



Roosevelt's new Pep Club poses on the front steps.

# Future teachers gain classroom experience



Peggy Scheffler leads a F.T.A. Meeting.



Miss Baxter, Rosalyn Taylor, Peggy Scheffler, Toni McCaslin, and Weslie Wilde discuss the bulletin board.

The Leonard W. Menzi FTA Club, named for our principal, is sponsored by Miss Pearle Baxter. The "F" in FTA stands for future, the "T" for teacher and the "A" for America. The main purpose is to help students to decide whether or not to become teachers. In FTA one learns the various duties and responsibilities of a teacher through assisting in the classroom. In addition, activities in FTA include a high school Open House for parents, FTA workshops held on and off the University campus, and the viewing of educational films.



Beth Dykman and Toni McCaslin assist the kindergartners.

# Tomorrow's homemakers work for merit



Front row: Bette Gilden, Paula Cox, Julie Walton, Beverly Martin. Second row: Beth Dykman, Carolyn Anderson, Shirley Caldwell, Donna Martin, Marion Hitchings, Mrs. Heffington, Lynn Shupe, Jill Greenstreet, Toni Everard, Cookie Taylor. Third row: Janet Coleman, Barbara DeBoer, Betty Case, Karen Glass, Mickey Roesch, Judy Worley, Mary Silkworth, Wendy Wismer, JoAnn Magee, Carol Congdon, Maurine Howe, Mary Van Black, Barbara Seyfreid, Mary Harrison, Barbara Davey, Fourth row: Randy Norris, Laurie Sanzi, April Krause, Anne Moore, Gail Tedford, Phyllis Henderson, Rita Manion, Patty Burns, Patty Adair, Diane Sprague, Marty Farris, Bonnie Harris, Anne McClelland, Stephanie Kutzen, MaeAlyce Daprich, Janet Goings, Lois Magee, Linda Leininger.

The Future Homemakers, first organized in 1955 with 15 members, has now a roster of 46 girls. Mrs. Barbara Heffington, the chapter sponsor for three years, has helped the members to achieve their degrees of merit. The girls held their formal initiation in the fall. They adopted a ward at the state hospital, which they entertain at holidays. The girls sponsored a St. Valentine's dance, "Cupid's Caper."



Susan Lee and Carol Henderson buy corsages from Marion Hitchings and Mickey Roesch.

The officers are: (front row) Donna Martin, vice-president; Marion Hitchings, president; Carolyn Anderson, song leader. (row 2) Lynn Shupe, treasurer; Toni Everard, secretary; Mrs. Heffington, sponsor. (row 3) Shirley Caldwell, recorder; Jill Greenstreet, parliamentarian.

# Girl Scouts work for proficiency badges



Senior Scouts. (Front Row) Carol Gunn, Beth Dykman, Shirley Caldwell, Marion Hitchings, Carolyn Anderson, Mary Harrison, (Row 2) Mary Brady, Mickey Roesch, Penny McClure.



Girl Scouts. (Front Row) Linda Pugh, Evelyn Norton, Janie Davis, Nancy Hitchings, Carol Hilbert, Nancy Baker, Judy Stanlake, June Cook. (Row 2) Marcia Pate, Nancy Brooks, Jinx Wescott, Janet Congdon, Margaret Beal, Diane Durfee, Celeste Hoover, Mary MacDonald, Julie Fulford, Betsi Foster, Judy Bair, Susan Sanzi, (Back Row) Kitty Shupe, Pat Gomer, Laurie Crane, Geri LaBounty, Kathy Cox, Carol Gauntlett, Anita Ferrer, Barbara Borusch, Mary Farris, Nancy Giles, Susan Seyfreid.

# Boy Scouts participate in district camporees



Boy Scouts, (Front Row) Brad Jones, Wes Langer, Tom McClure, Scott Palmer, Mike MacDonald, Bob Giles, Tom Smith, Tom Touse. (Row 2) John Osborn, Jan Sutter, Bill Everard, Mark Sundquist, Sam Taylor, Jim DeBoer, Kenny Cleton, Perry Hewitt, Dan Cox. (Back Row) Bob Sprague, Ted Smith, Bruce Brown.

Boy Scouts practice cooking skills.



Boy Scout troop #31 celebrated its 40th anniversary this year. The troop participated in District and Council Camporees and received numerous awards for camping skills. Several boys will go to the National Jamboree, held in Colorado Springs, this summer.

The Intermediate Girl Scout troop also had campouts and worked on their proficiency badges.

Senior Girl Scout troop #367 performed many service projects, such as helping the March of Dimes, making kits for the Red Feather Drive, and helping needy families. The Girls went camping at Plymouth Lodge in January.

# Junior Achievers learn business methods



(At the table) Rosalyn Taylor, Kay Ferris, Lynn Shupe, Beverly Martins. (Back row) Ron Capizzi, Betty Case, Jane Struppa, Pat Schliskey, Calvin Scott. These students participate in Han-Dee-Rac and Shake-Rite companies.



(At the table) Penny McClure, Linda Leininger, Rita Manion, Claudia Zeller, Barbara Davey, Barbara Buelow. (Back row) Linda Blakemore, Dave Rockwell, Tom Sherwood, Dave Stewart, Nancy Cummings, Bill Giles. These students participate in D-Tra n Company.



Bob Kruse, Tom Durant, Dick Parret, Ben Van der Wolf, Patty Bates participate in the Generators Company.

This year sixty Roosevelt students participated in the Junior Achievement program which is offered to high school juniors and seniors. The students received first-hand experience on business management. They organized their companies, elected officers, sold stock, produced and sold their products. Such things as night lights, shoe racks, salt and pepper shakers, cup racks, and neck tie racks were made.

(At the table) Peggy Abercrombie, Barbara Henderson, Dave Bisel, Patty Burns. (Back row) Karen Glass, Ina Hansen, Rick Carter, Carol Congdon, John Anderson, Carol Henderson, Tom Silkworth, Beth Dykman, Jerry Furtney, Doug Houck. These students participate in Wood Products Company.



# Roosevelt students display forensic talents



Julie Davis, Rosalyn Taylor, and Diane Sovey won the oratory contest.



Marti Virtue, Mark Sutter, and Carol Gunn won top honors in the declamation contest.



Miss McAndless

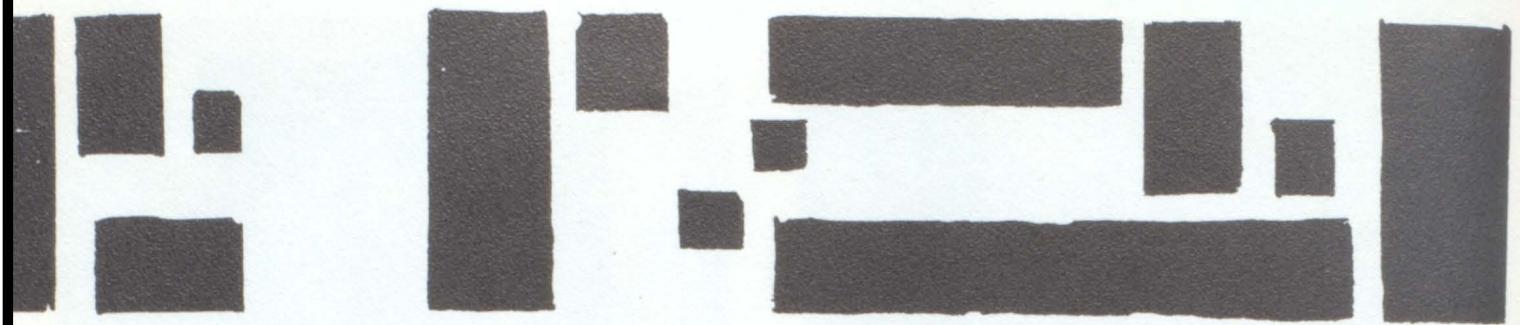
Susan Lee, Mickey Roesch, and David Goings pose after winning the humorous reading contest.



With all seniors, juniors, and sophomores in the running for 1960 speech honors, 35 students finally emerged in mid-March to compete for top places in the local forensics tilts. Mark Sutter and Carol Gunn ran neck and neck for the Chamberlain Cup award, with Marti Virtue as runner-up. The oratory hassle gave Diane Sovey the lead with Julie Davis and Rosalyn Taylor in second and third position. In the dramatic and humorous reading contests there were, respectively, Carol Congdon and Susan Hopps as district contenders, with David Rockwell as alternate; Susan Lee and David Goings as the district entries with Mickey Roesch as alternate. Ben van der Wolf is the school entry in extemporaneous speakings.

Interpretive reading winners are Susan Hopps, David Rockwell, and Carol Congdon.





Music





The newly organized Boys' Quartet consists of Bob Shaefer, David Salyer, Bill Armstrong, and Phil Clark.

Roosevelt's mixed chorus and chorale, under the direction of Mrs. Jean Sundquist, used their varied talents to produce the three act operetta, "Masquerade in Vienna." The production was received with great enthusiasm and many compliments. Programs were presented by the cho-ruses at Christmas, Easter, and graduation.

Dr. Falk (David Salyer) introduces Prince Orlofski (David Goings) to Frank the jailer (Dick Parrett) in the operetta "Masquerade in Vienna."

## Chorus, chorale highlight year's activity

(At the piano) Betsy Kotney and Ina Hansen. (Front Row) Maealyce Daprich, Linda Powers, Barbara Henderson, Barbara DeBoer, Anne Moore, April Kraus, Lindsay Franklin, Ben Riley. (Row 2) Barbara Davey, Beverly Martin, Carolyn Anderson, Julie Walton, Phyllis Henderson, Donna Martin, Linda Buck, David Salyer, David Rockwell. (Row 3) Mickey Roesch, Barbara Buelow, Patty Bates, Barbara Prochnow, Marti Virtue, David Wheeler, Bob James, Bob Shaefer. (Back Row) Janet Coleman, Mary Harrison, Ellen McDermott, Wendy Wismer, Carolyn Ruwitch, Don Worley, David Goings, Dick Parrett, Larry Judson.





(At the piano) Betsy Kotney. (Front Row) Judy Kutzen, Barbara DeBoer, April Kraus, David Goings, David Rockwell, Linda Buck, Kathy Wimer, Diane Sovey, Betty Case. (Row 2) Pat Schliskey, Carolyn Ruwitch, Donna Martin, David Salyer, Bill Armstrong, David Wheeler, Bob Mickelson, Bob Shaefer, Maurine Howe, Karen Glass. (Back Row) Phil Clark, Don Worley, Dick Parrett, Larry Judson, Ricky Gray, Mrs. Jean Sundquist.

Maurine Howe, Bob Shaefer, David Salyer, Ellen Mc Dermott and Carolyn Anderson pose for a publicity shot during dress rehearsal of the operetta.



## with operetta production

(Front Row) Bob Ulrich, Karen Falstad, Jeanne Warner, Diane Sovey, Weslie Wilde, Carol Gunn, Sandy Shuda, Gail Tedford. (Row 2) Richard DeLong, Penny McClure, Jodi Tripp, Carol Congdon, Judy Worley, Gloria Weber, Karen Glass, Kay Ferris, Toni McCaslin, Mrs. Jean Sundquist. (Row 3) Bill Armstrong, Nancy Schreiber, Mary Silkworth, Jill Greenstreet, Shirely Caldwell, Maurine Howe, Linda Leininger, Beth Dykman, Betty Case. (Back Row) Phil Clark, Bob Mickelson, Judy James, Carol Henderson, Lois Magee, Barbara Seyfried, Jane Struppa, Donna Kersey, Kathy Wimer, Toni Everard.



# RHS band, orchestra feature outstanding



(Front Row) Pat Palmer, Beth Milford, Shirley Caldwell, Carolyn Anderson, (Standing) Tom Touse, George Riley, Bill Armstrong, Bob Shaefer, Duane Betts.

Roosevelt's marching band, concert band, and orchestra all are under the direction of Dr. Maurice Riley. During this past school year the school orchestra has participated in many musical programs; the marching band attended "Band Day," sponsored by the University of Michigan; the two organizations have jointly given several concerts.

(Front Row) Douglas Betts, Mark Sutter, Ben Carl Riley, (Back Row) Sue Lee, Shirley Caldwell.



# entertainment at concerts and programs



(Front Row) Dan Cox, Marion Hitchings, Pat Palmer, Carolyn Anderson, Donna Martin, Robert Borsch, (Row two) David Erickson, (Back Row) Tom Touse, Lindsay Franklin, Bob Shaefer, David Goings, Bill Armstrong, Lewis Shaefer.

(Front Row) Marcia Pate, Kitty Shupe, Beth Milford, Margaret Beal, Joseph Cox, (Row two) Nancy Schrieber, Julie Davis, Diane Sovey, Carol Congdon, Wesley Wilde, (Back Row) David Betts, George Riley, Duane Betts, Mike Milford.



Sports







(Front Row) Bruce Osborne, John Anderson, Doug Houck, Phil Clark, Captain Ricky Gray, Rick Carter, David Salyer, Jerry Furtney, Duane Betts. (Row 2) Jim Nass, Jim Ferrer, Ronnie Capizzi, Tom Tate, Jack Kennedy, Tom Otts, Craig Ballard, Richard Hoffman, Coach A. D. Walker. (Back Row) Tim Hoover, Fred Perry, Barry Calder, Al Milford, Louis Shaefer, Roger Brooks, Louis Richards, Calvin Scott.

## Undermanned Rough Rider eleven goes

Captain Ricky Gray fights for yardage against the Chelsea Bulldogs.



Undermanned and hampered by injuries all season, Roosevelt's football team staggered winless through its first season in the new Washtenaw Conference. The limited personnel and key injuries in mid-season, one of them to fighting Captain Ricky Gray, spelled doom for an Art Walker coached aggregation that had showed early season potential. One bright spot in the list of eight losses was the Rough Riders' homecoming battle with Manchester at the end of the season. Playing a inspired contest, the Scarlet and Gray were not defeated by the heavily favored Dutchmen until the final minutes when two bad breaks cost Roosevelt the game, 14-6. After the season, Coach Walker named 20 lettermen who elected Jack Kennedy to lead them next year.



Craig Ballard eludes a well-thrown tackle.

Roosevelt	6	Clinton	20
Roosevelt	6	Clintondale	7
Roosevelt	0	Pinckney	6
Roosevelt	0	Chelsea	58
Roosevelt	0	Dexter	27
Roosevelt	0	Saline	14
Roosevelt	0	U. High	44
Roosevelt	6	Manchester	14

## down fighting to end disastrous season

The Roosevelt eleven defends goal against onrushing Clinton.



# Cheerleaders spark school spirit



VARSITY CHEERLEADERS. Rosalyn Taylor, captain; Beth Dykman, Peggy Scheffler, Barbara Buelow, Patty Burns, Barbara Henderson.

Despite a dismal year in sports, Roosevelt's peppy cheerleaders never lost their exuberance. Sponsored by Mr. Emile Gosseaux, the cheerleaders introduced many new cheers to match the new cheerleading outfits purchased for them by the Student Council. Besides leading Roosevelt's pep section at basketball and football games, the RHS cheerleaders devoted a great deal of time and effort to the project of raising the school's sports' morale.



RESERVE CHEERLEADERS. Patti Adair, Martha Farris, Charlotte Kersey, Jodi Tripp, Martha Virtue, Ann McClelland.

# Barb Henderson elected RHS sweetheart



1959 Homecoming Queen, Mickey Roesch crowns Barbara.

Queen Barbara Henderson reigns over 1959 Homecoming festivities.

## Junior miss and court honored during homecoming ceremonies

Before the election Nancy Schreiber, Carol Henderson, Barbara Henderson, and Marti Virtue admire the crown.





(Front Row, l. to r.) Coach Art Walker, Doug Houck, Captain Phil Clark, David Salyer, Jim Masters, and Ricky Gray. (Back Row, l. to r.) Tom Tate, Don Worley, Cal Scott, Fred Perry, Craig Ballard, and Jim Ferrer.

## Roosevelt basketball team finishes initial

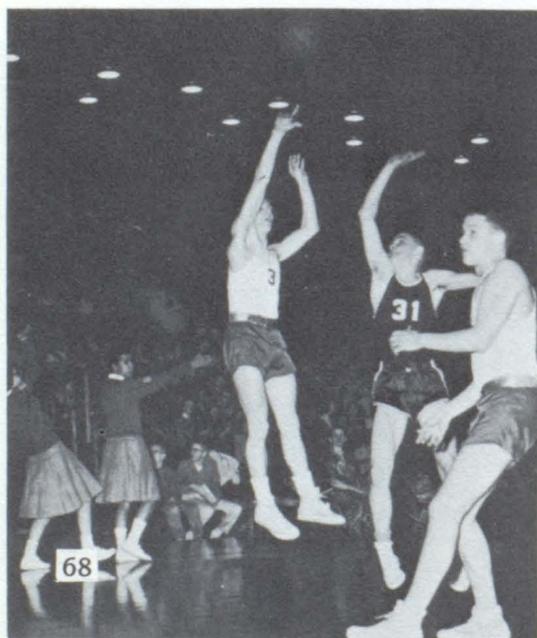
Roosevelt's varsity basketball team found the riding a little rough in its first season in the seven-member Washtenaw Conference, finishing the season in sixth place with a league record of two wins against ten losses and a 2-13 mark overall. During the season, Coach Art Walker's aggregation presented a strange mixture of performances, playing over their heads against teams they couldn't beat and then playing dead for squads they should have trounced.

A generally unexciting season did come up with some thrills. January 15, the Riders, led by Cal Scott and Ricky Gray, upset heavily favored Manchester 46-44 in a cliff-hanger played at Bowen Field House. It was the only game of the year for Gray. His loss due to a football injury was a great handicap to the Scarlet and Gray quintet.

The Little Rough Riders, paced by Lewis Richards, Dick Wise, and Captain Dave Erickson, fashioned a 4-10 mark for the season, although they performed better than the record indicates.

### VARSITY RESULTS

Roosevelt	30	Lincoln	42
Roosevelt	27	Dexter	55
Roosevelt	28	Chelsea	42
Roosevelt	40	Pinckney	36
Roosevelt	27	U. High	65
Roosevelt	46	Manchester	44
Roosevelt	36	Saline	67
Roosevelt	37	Chelsea	75
Roosevelt	41	Dexter	56
Roosevelt	37	Pinckney	49
Roosevelt	40	U. High	66
Roosevelt	29	Manchester	56
Roosevelt	42	Saline	49
Roosevelt	29	Clinton	34
Roosevelt	29	St. Mary's	44



Encouraged by the RHS cheering section, Doug Houck (3) goes high in the air to arch his patented jump shot as Fred Perry (right) turns for the rebound.



Roosevelt pivot-man Cal Scott (14) tries for two points as teammate Dave Salyer (13) awaits a possible rebound.



Lindsay Franklin (44) contests for a loose ball while Richard Hoffman (20) looks for a way to get into the scrap.

#### JV RESULTS

Roosevelt	33	Lincoln	43
Roosevelt	40	Dexter	45
Roosevelt	33	Chelsea	35
Roosevelt	49	Pinckney	9
Roosevelt	24	U. High	42
Roosevelt	34	Manchester	42
Roosevelt	32	Saline	48
Roosevelt	21	Chelsea	50
Roosevelt	25	Dexter	37
Roosevelt	40	Pinckney	35
Roosevelt	28	U. High	35
Roosevelt	42	Manchester	39
Roosevelt	30	Saline	43
Roosevelt	36	Clinton	29

## Washtenaw Conference season in sixth place

(Front Row, l. to r.) Bob Giles, Samson Sukach, Mike MacDonald, Lewis Richards, Captain David Erickson, Lindsay Franklin, Dick Wise, and Tom Smith. (Back row, l. to r.) Coach Bill Briggs, Tom McClure, Tim Burns, Bill Kennedy, Richard Hoffman, Richard Pleuss, and Jim Nass. Giles and Smith were managers for the team this year.



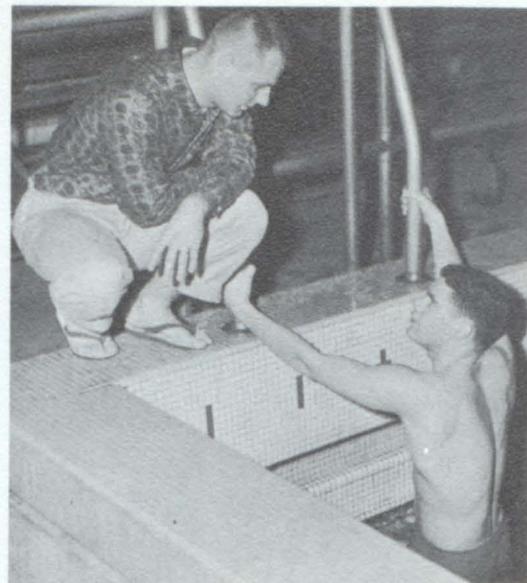
# Swimmers close tremendous season with

Gaining momentum from two great victories at the end of the regular season, the Roosevelt swimmers thundered into the State Meet with their best times of the year to decisively claim second place in the Class B Championships. Led by Captain Bob Shaefer, who broke his 100 yard butterfly record with a time of 56.3, the Rough Riders captured a pair of firsts, a second, a third, a tie for third, two fourths, and a brace of fifths in compiling a total of 44.5 points to power past Riverview (36 points) and Ecorse (27 points). East Grand Rapids amassed 105.5 points to claim its thirteenth title in a row.

The runner-up position was a fitting end to a great season for the RHS natators and to Coach Ron Monson's two-year term as head mentor. Starting with a 7-3 record last year, the Rough Riders compiled a 9-3 mark this season, making the two-year record 16-6 for Monson.

Three outstanding team efforts highlighted the dual meet schedule. The first, Dec. 9, marked the first time in 16 years Roosevelt was able to defeat an Adrian swim team. On Feb. 26 the RHS natators overcame Ecorse's powerful Red Raiders with some of their best performances all season. The last meet of the regular season proved most satisfactory as the Riders gained revenge for an earlier dunking by Belleville.

Outstanding swimmer of the year was Bob Shaefer, the team's pace-setter throughout the year. Always good for two victories a meet, he went the whole season undefeated in the 100 yard butterfly and individual medley. John Dawson, State Champ in the 100 yard backstroke, was elected to succeed Bob as Captain.



"How did I look?" asks Captain Bob Shaefer as he and Coach Ron Monson confer on Shaefer's butterfly style.

Roosevelt	62	River Rouge	34
Roosevelt	50	Adrian	36
Roosevelt	44	Belleville	52
Roosevelt	53	U. High	43
Roosevelt	55	Wayne	41
Roosevelt	44-1/2	Riverview	51-1/2
Roosevelt	53	U. High	43
Roosevelt	56	Wayne	40
Roosevelt	40	Adrian	52
Roosevelt	57	River Rouge	35
Roosevelt	51	Ecorse	45
Roosevelt	57	Belleville	39

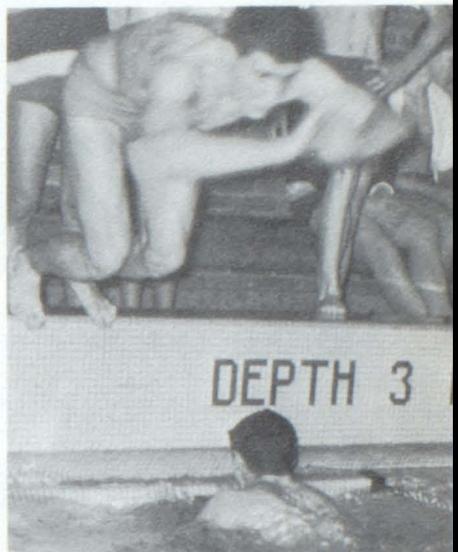
(Front Row, l. to r.) Al Milford, John Dawson, David Betts, Roger Brooks, Captain Bob Shaefer, Tom Durant, David Goings, Duane Betts, Lewis Shaefer, and Gary Durfee. (Middle Row, l. to r.) Tom Hughes, Doug Betts, Jim Davis, Scott Palmer, Jack Kennedy, Harold Belcher, and David Smith. (Back Row, l. to r.) Coach Ron Monson, John Max, Sam Taylor, Tom Sherwood, Kenton Struppa, and Dan Cox.



# second place effort at Class B State Meet



Captain Bob Shaefer churns through the water with the powerful stroke that has made him Class B Champion and record holder for three years in the 100 yard butterfly event. Shaefer's best effort, 56.3, is only 3 seconds from the American record.



Versatile Duane Betts, a good backstroker, is seen starting the butterfly split of the medley relay event in Roosevelt's victory over Ecorse.



(L to r.) John Dawson, Jack Kennedy, Bob Shaefer, and Al Milford made up the medley relay team that placed second in the Class B State Meet.

Dave Betts (nearest camera), John Dawson, and their Belleville opponents prepare for the 100 yard backstroke. The RHS twosome slammed the event to help win the last meet of the year.



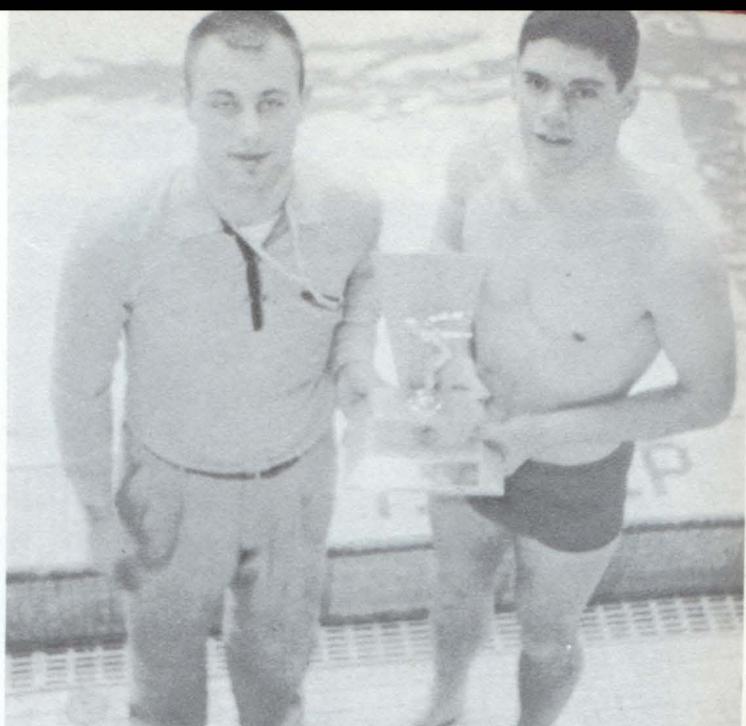
Lewis Shaefer's blazing freestyle has brought him many honors in his first year of swimming. Becoming a consistent winner immediately, the talented Frosh seems to possess a vast potential which should carry him to greater heights.





Fifth place at State in the 100 yard breast stroke went to Jack Kennedy, seen here perfecting the stroke that he used.

Roosevelt's ace diver, Tom Hughes, pirouettes through the air with the style that earned him fifth place honors in the State Meet.



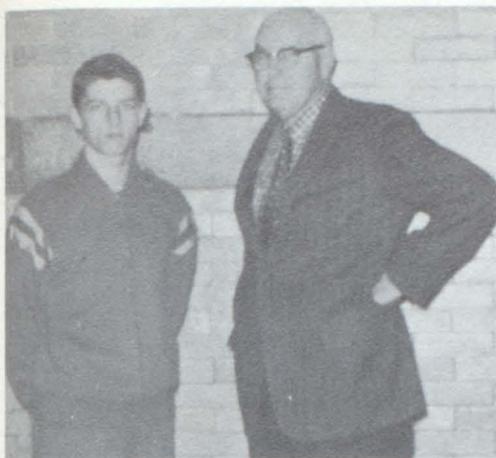
Coach Monson and Bob Shaefer proudly pose with the Second Place Trophy.

## RHS natators establish eight school marks

During the course of the season, the Roosevelt tankmen entered eight new school records in the books. Bob Shaefer claimed three of them; his 56.3 clocking in the 100 yard butterfly, a time of 1:50.0 in the 160 yard individual medley, and a clocking of 2:25.7 for the 200 yard individual medley. Other marks were set by John Dawson, who had a 1:02.0 in the 100 yard backstroke; Jack Kennedy, who earned points in the State Meet with a 1:13.9 effort in the 100 yard breast stroke; Lewis Shaefer, who swam the 100 yard freestyle in 56.1; the 160 yard medley relay quartet of Dawson, Kennedy, Duane Betts, and Al Milford, who turned in a time of 1:29.9; and the 200 yard medley relay team of Dawson, Kennedy, Bob Shaefer, and Milford who splashed the distance in 1:51.6.

This action took place in the Class B State Meet during the qualifying trials in the 200 yard freestyle relay. The RHS speed relay quartet (lane 2) consisting of Al Milford (sitting at left), Roger Brooks (on starting block), Lewis Shaefer (behind Brooks), and Tom Durant (on Shaefer's left), is about to qualify for the finals with a time of 1:45.4.

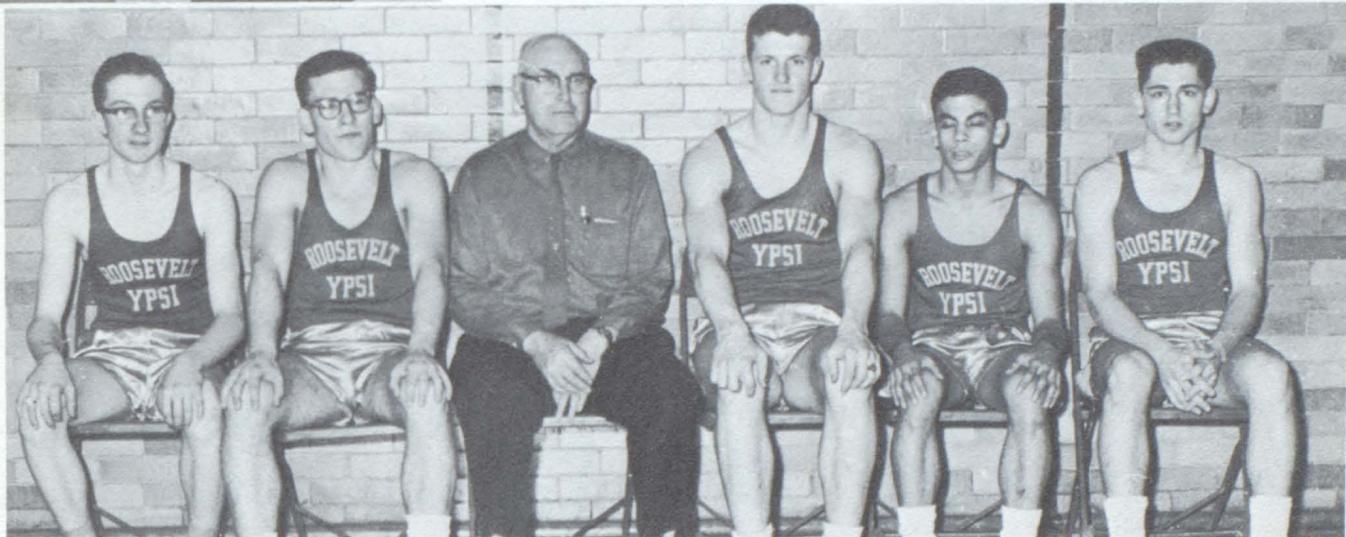




Captain Doug Houck is one of Coach Walker's returning lettermen this year. Roosevelt's main pole vaulter, Houck also competes in the 440 and 880 yard runs.



Holding his breath for greater buoyancy, Jim Masters reaches for those extra inches in the broad jump.



(l. to r.) John Dawson, Phil Clark, Coach Walker, Cal Scott, Jim Ferrer, and Jim Masters. Remaining letterman Doug Houck was absent when the picture was taken.

## Thinclads plan successful track season

With six returning letter winners to form the nucleus of his track squad, Coach Art Walker was laying plans to restore Roosevelt's athletic prestige and compensate for the poor records gained thus far in the Washtenaw Conference by the football and basketball teams.

The Roosevelt cindermen appeared strongest in the 440 and 880 yard runs with five experienced thinclads, including Captain Doug Houck, returning for these events. John Dawson and Phil Clark were potential point getters in the hurdle events while Jim Masters was the main RHS threat in the sprints. As usual, the Rough Riders' main weakness was the field events.



Straining for that second wind, quarter-miler Phil Clark pounds down the stretch.

### TRACK SCHEDULE

April 26	Chelsea here
April 28	Saline here
April 30	Mount Pleasant Relays
May 3	Pinckney here
May 5	U. High here
May 7	Albion Relays
May 10	Dexter here
May 14	Regional Meet
May 18	League Meet
May 21	State Meet



(Front row, l. to r.) Captain Duane Betts, Tom Tate, Richard Hoffman, Tom Otts, and Coach Monson.  
(Back row, l. to r.) Dave Salyer, Fred Perry, Ron Capizzi, and Don Worley. Missing from the picture is  
Dave Rockwell, the team's ninth letterman.

## RHS batters swing for winning season



Ron Monson, fresh from two successful years as head mentor of the RHS swimming team, had hopes of extending his winning ways to the baseball squad this spring. For the Rough Rider nine, the season provided their initial taste of Washtenaw competition.

Inheriting a squad that included nine returning lettermen, Monson's main problems seemed to be patching up the infield and rebuilding the outfield. With Captain Duane Betts on hand and two other experienced moundsmen available, the pitching staff appeared to be the Roosevelt team's greatest asset.

Dave Salyer, intent on sharpening his batting eye, samples the offerings of teammate Duane Betts.



Roosevelt's ace moundsman, Duane Betts, prepares to hurl his fast ball in a practice session

### BASEBALL SCHEDULE

April 19	at Manchester
April 21	Dexter here
April 26	Pinckney here
April 28	at Saline
May 3	Chelsea here
May 5	Manchester here
May 10	at Dexter
May 12	at Pinckney
May 17	Saline here
May 19	at Chelsea

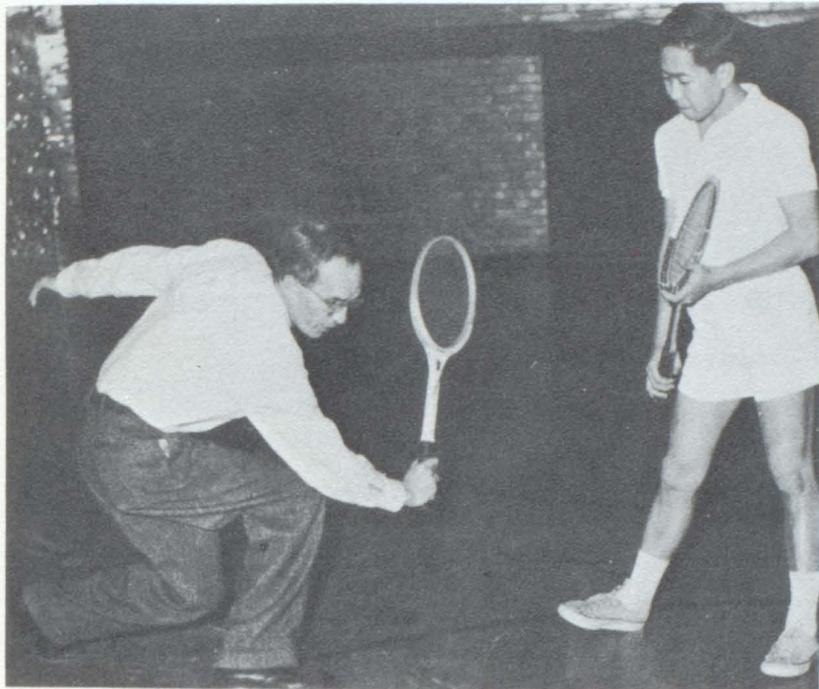


Captain Duane Betts and Coach Ron Monson look forward to the coming baseball season with high hopes. Monson is planning how to extend his winning ways to baseball while Betts is hoping his right arm will retain the effectiveness that made him Roosevelt's winningest pitcher last season.

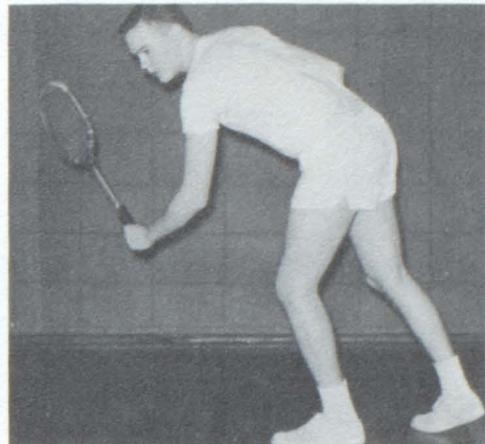
# Tennismen prepare for rugged competition

Coached by Alister MacDonald, the Roosevelt tennis team had hopes of winning a few matches this year, something they didn't accomplish to any extent last season. Returning to aid in this cause were six lettermen from last year's squad, plus several experienced reserves.

Coach MacDonald was fortunate to have on his team returnees Bob Shaefer in the singles and the doubles team of Bill Armstrong and Olan Viravan, who all scored victories in last year's regional tournament.



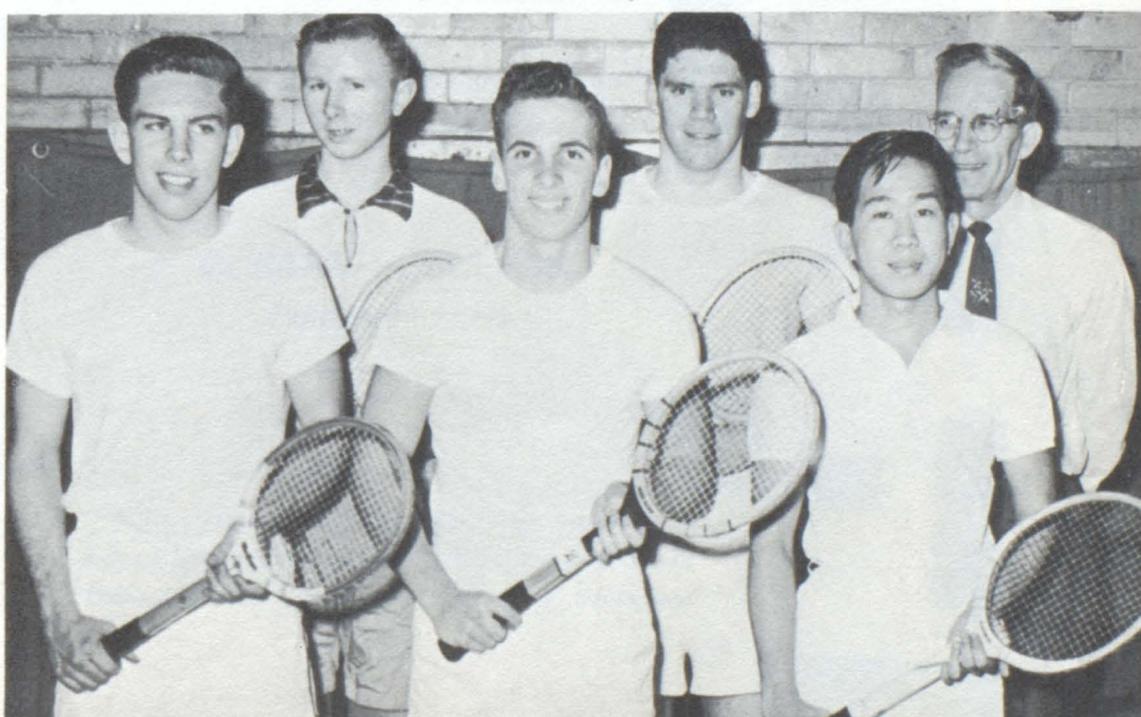
Coach MacDonald instructs Olan Viravan in the proper technique for backhanding the low ones. Viravan was a mainstay on last year's tennis squad and his expectations for this year were high.



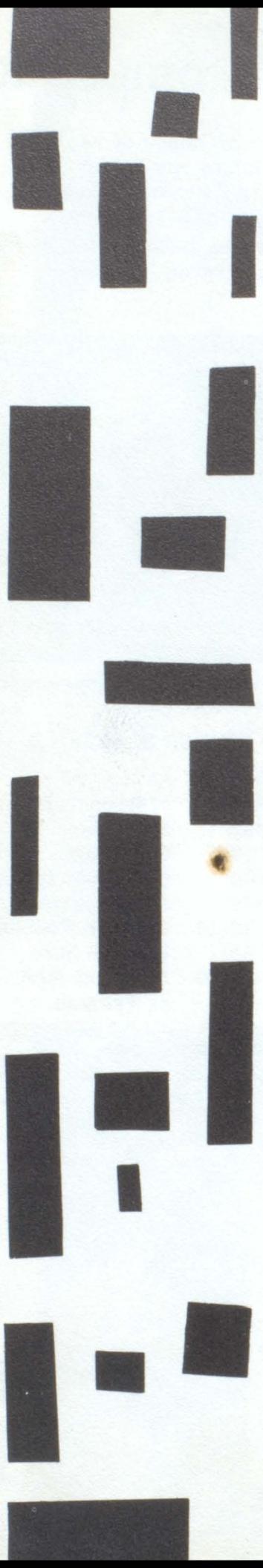
Bill Armstrong takes aim at a wide shot during a practice session.

## TENNIS SCHEDULE

April 14	at Monroe
April 26	at Grosse Point
April 28	at Adrian
May 4	at U. High
May 6	Grosse Point here
May 10	Adrian here
May 12,13	Trenton Tournament
May 18	U. High here
May 19,20	Regional Meet
May 27	at Trenton



Five of Roosevelt's six returning tennis lettermen get together with Coach Alister MacDonald for the first time. (Front row, l. to r.) Rick Carter, Jim Nass, and Olan Viravan. (Back row, l. to r.) Larry Judson, Bob Shaefer, and MacDonald. Bill Armstrong was absent when the picture was taken.



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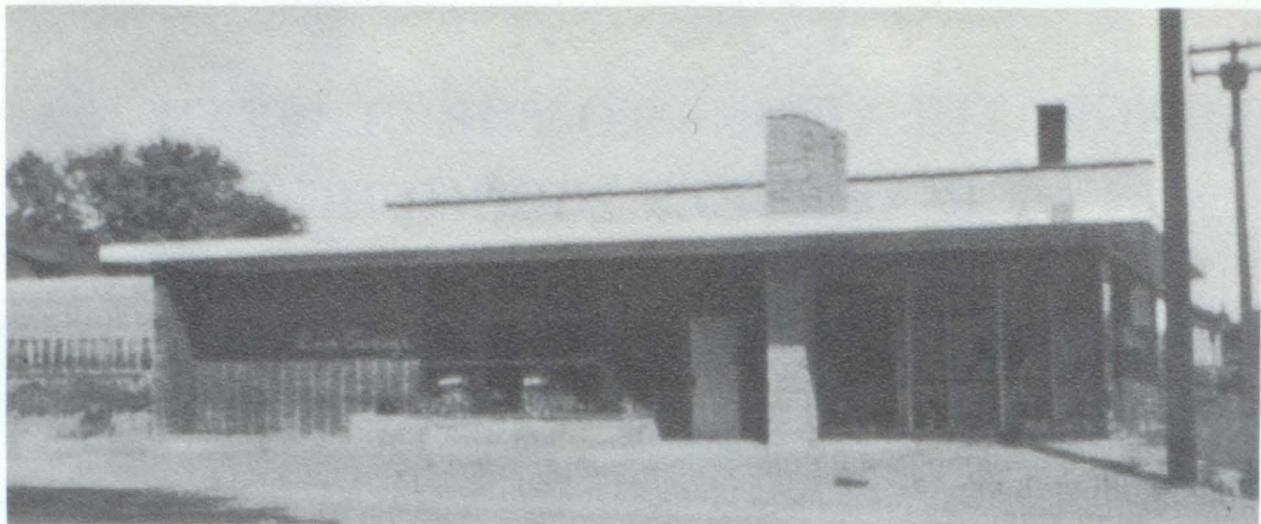
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Magazine Sale . . . Oct. 21-31  
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Homecoming . . . Nov. 6  
End of first quarter . . . . . Nov. 6  
Thanksgiving Vacation . . . . . Nov. 26-27  
"Masquerade In Vienna"-operetta . . Dec. 8-9  
"Icy Interlude"-Christmas dance . . Dec. 4  
Christmas vacation . . . . . Dec. 21-Jan. 4  
Exams . . . . . Jan. 26-28  
First semester ends . . . . . Jan. 29

Speech contests . . April 11  
Spring vacation . . April 15-25  
State Swim Meet . . March 11-12  
Third Quarter Ends . . . . . April 1  
"Rainbow Rhapsody"  
Spring dance . . . . April 29  
Jr. Sr. Plays . . . . May 22  
Senior Trip . . . . May 22-26  
Alumni dinner . . . . May 27  
"Rhapsody In Blue"  
Jr. Sr. Prom . . . . May 27  
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Exams . . . . . June 6-8  
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